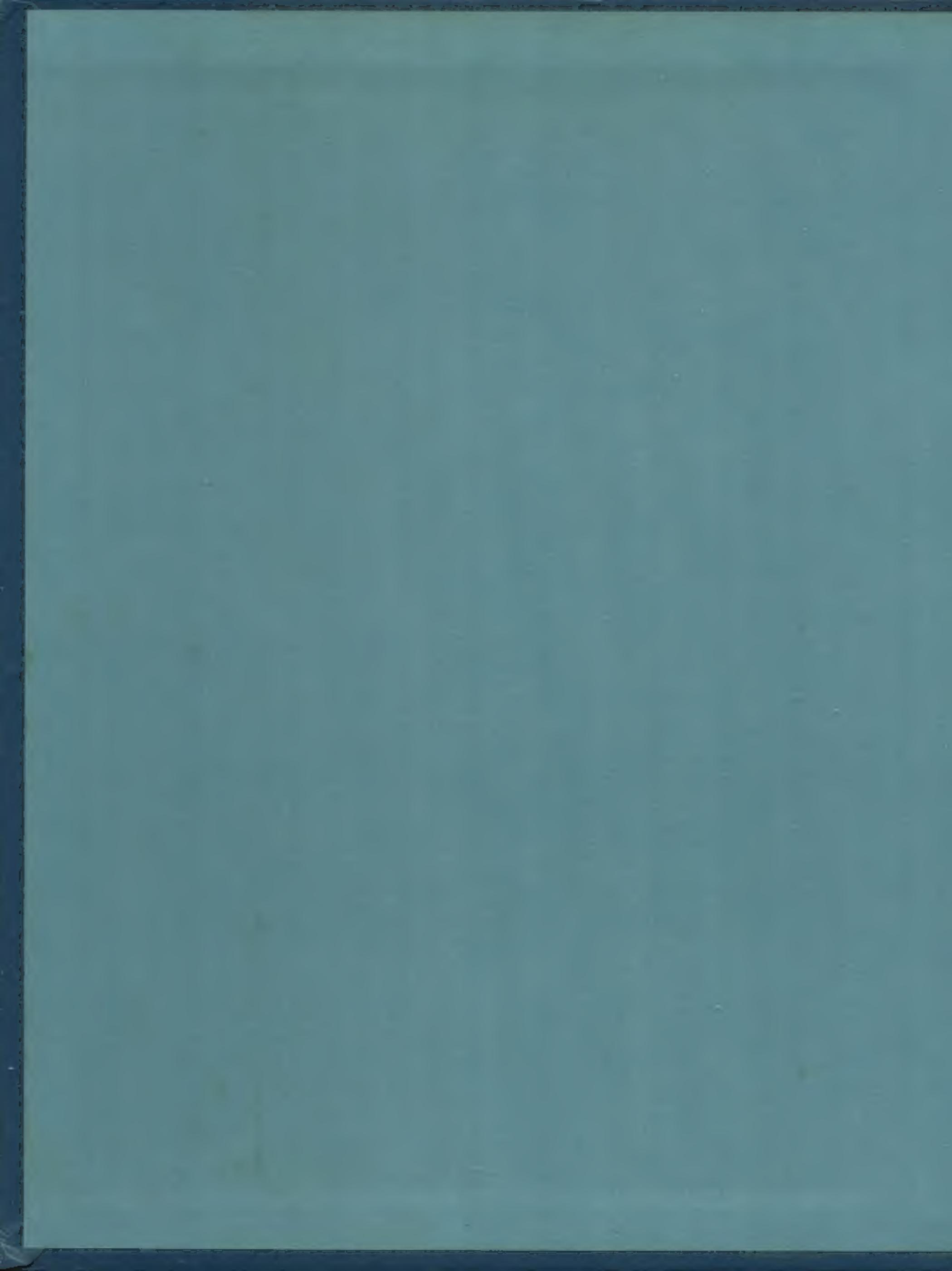




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*Dowagiac,
Michigan*

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Go placidly amid the noise and haste and remember what peace there may be in silence.



As far as possible without surrender be on good terms with all persons.

Speak your truth quietly and clearly; and listen to others, even the dull and ignorant; they too have their stories.

Avoid loud and aggressive persons, they are vexations to the spirit.

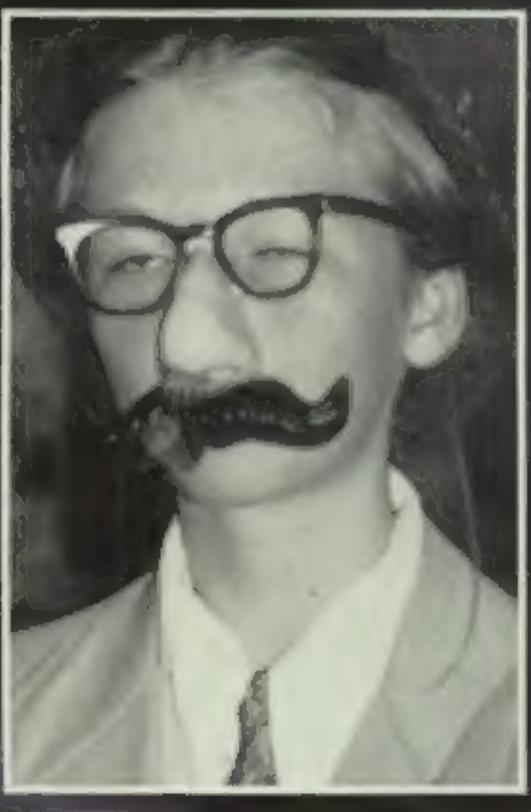




*If you compare
yourself with others,
you may become vain
and bitter; for always
there will be greater
and lesser persons
than yourself. Enjoy
your achievements as
well as your plans.*



*Keep interested in
your own career,
however humble; it is
a real possession in
the changing fortunes
of time.*





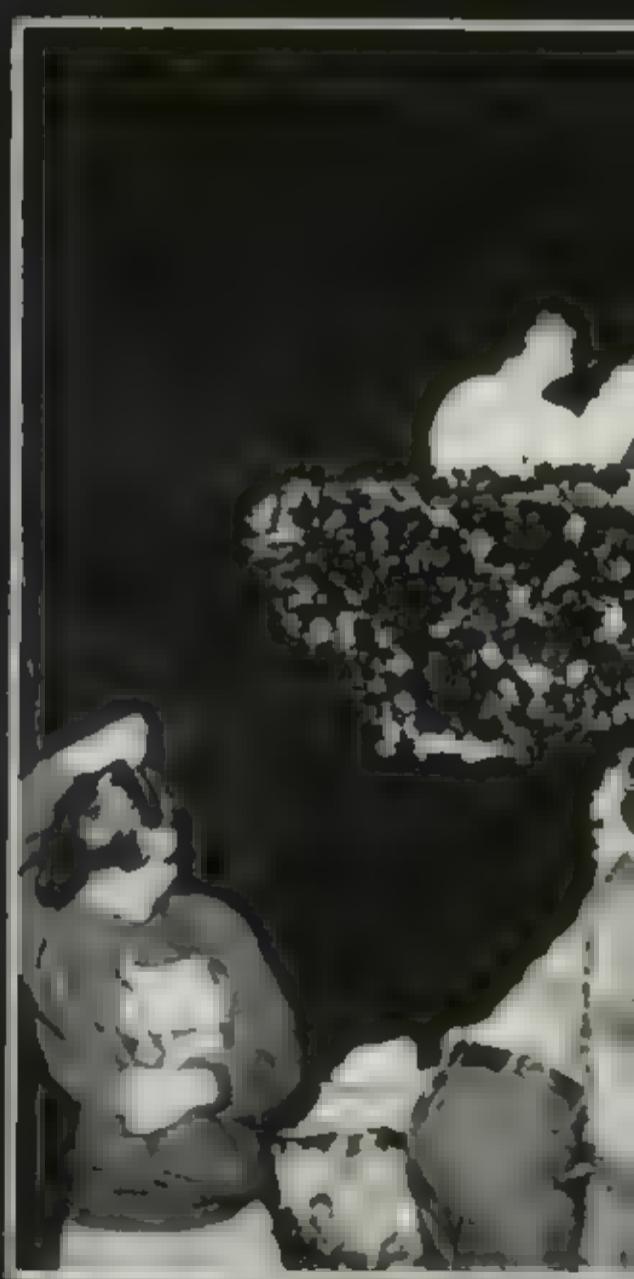
*Exercise caution in
your business affairs;
for the world is full of
trickery. But let this
not blind you to what
virtue there is; many
persons strive for high
ideals, and
everywhere life is full
of heroism.*

*Be yourself.
Especially, do not
feign affection.
Neither be cynical
about love; for in the
face of all aridity and
disenchantment it is
perennial as the grass.*





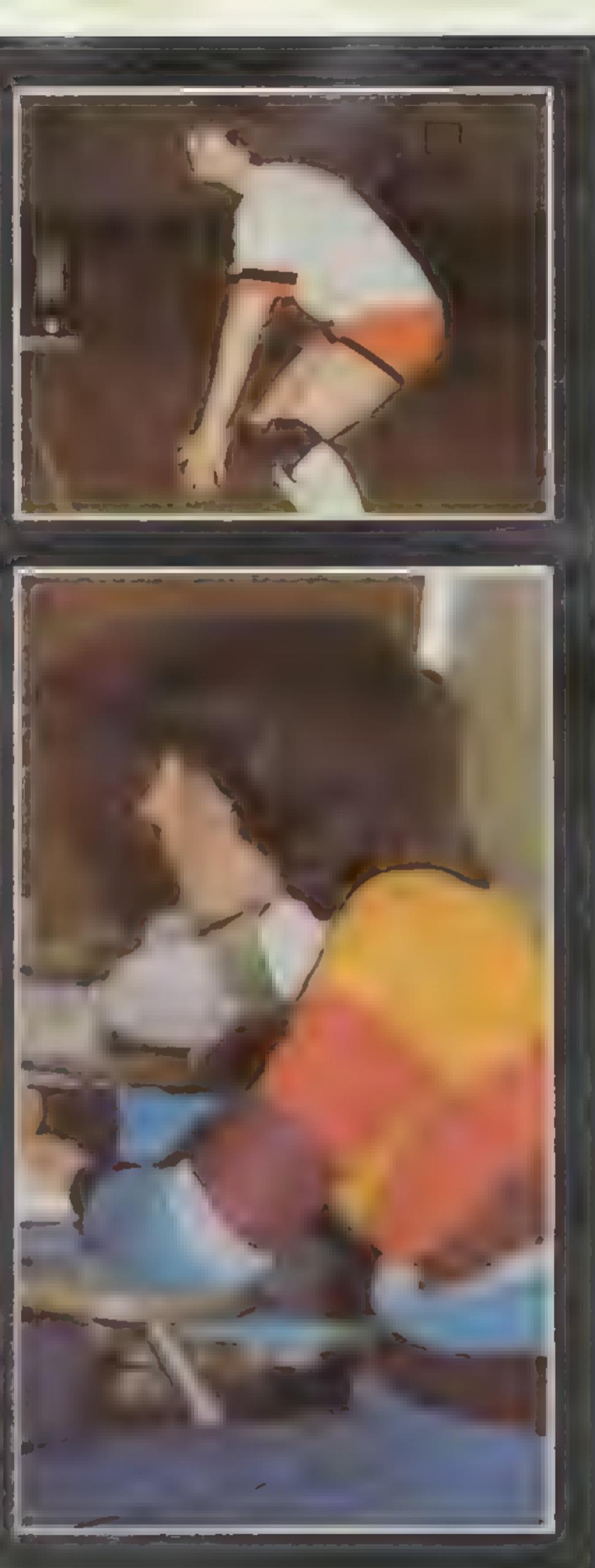
*Take kindly the
counsel of the years,
gracefully
surrendering the
infirmities of youth.
Nurture strength of
spirit to shield you in
sudden misfortunes.
But do not distress
yourself with
imaginings. Many
tears are born of
fatigue and
loneliness. Beyond a
wholesome
discipline, be gentle
with yourself.*





You are a child of the universe, no less than the trees and the stars; you have a right to be here. And whether or not it is clear to you, no doubt the universe is unfolding as it should.





Therefore be at peace with God, whatever you conceive Him to be, and whatever your labors and aspirations, in the noisy confusion of life keep peace with your soul.

With all its sham, drudgery, and broken dreams, it is still a beautiful world. Be careful. Strive to be happy.

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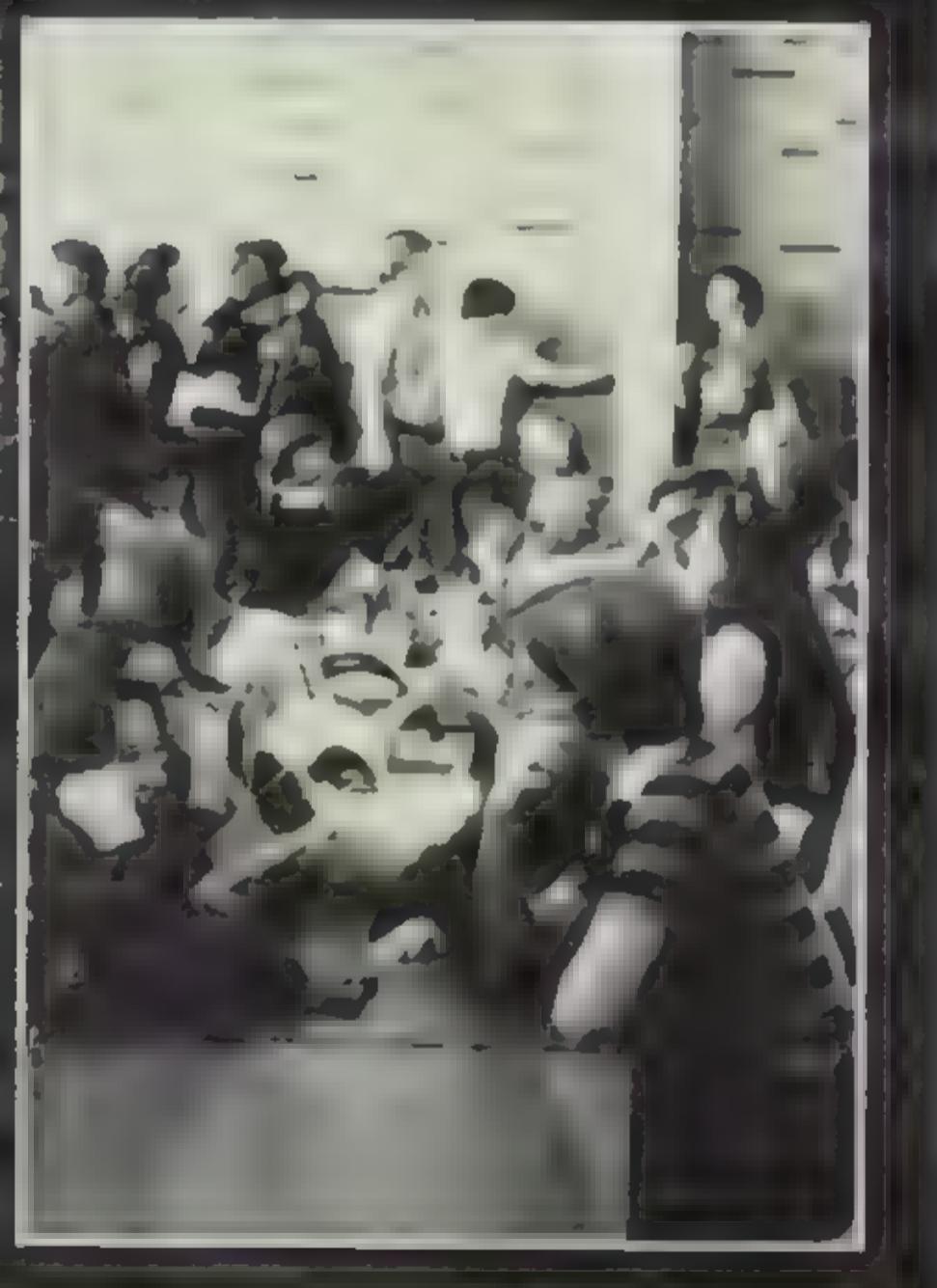


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CLASSES



Count many among thy friends, for no man can stand alone. Discriminate not by age or class, but choose thy friends by loyalty, interests, and above all companionship.



Time out for a little down time around



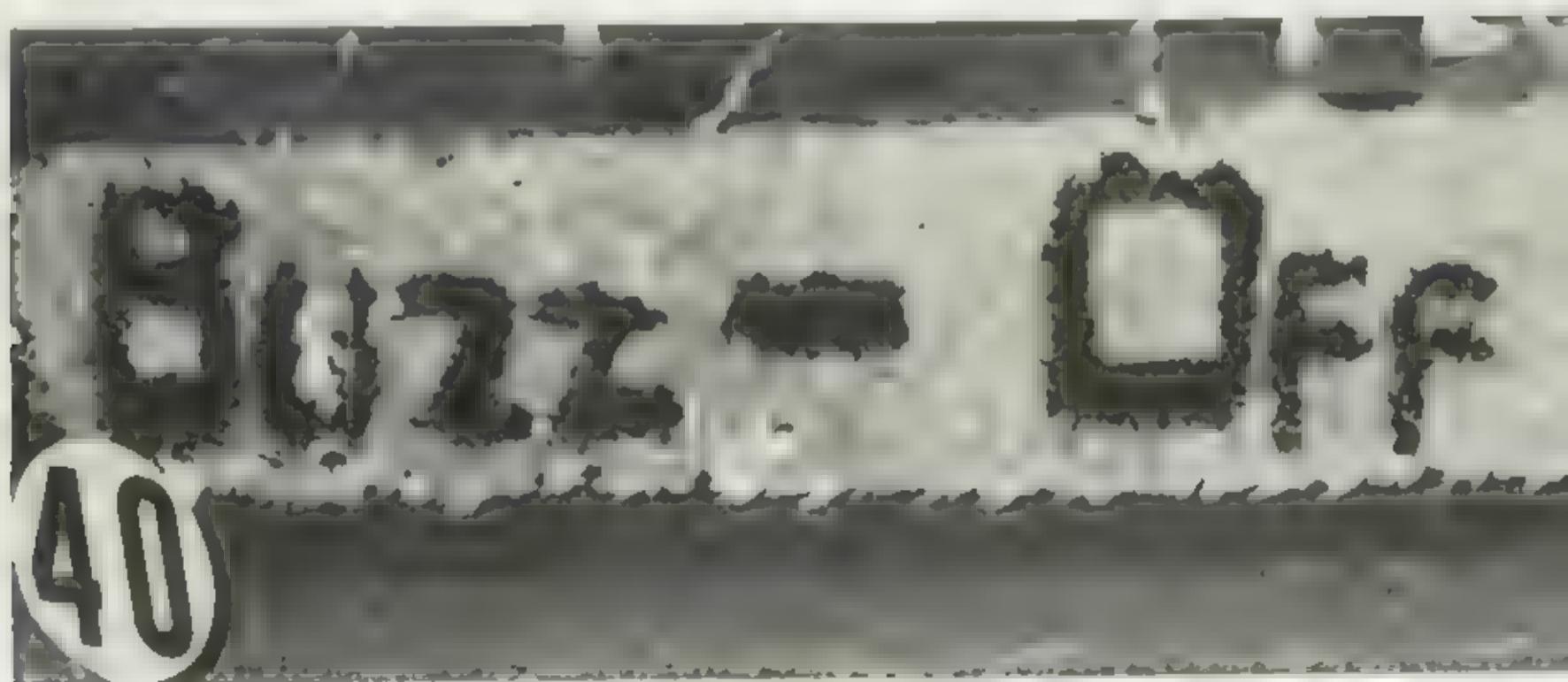
Freshman girls and "spirited" mascot working on their wal



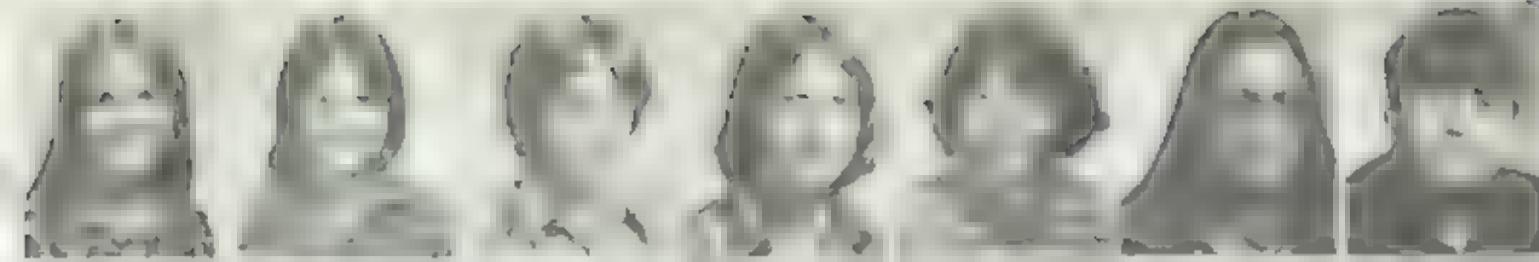
Myra Lille buckles down to her science



The team's fans were faithfully cheering them on



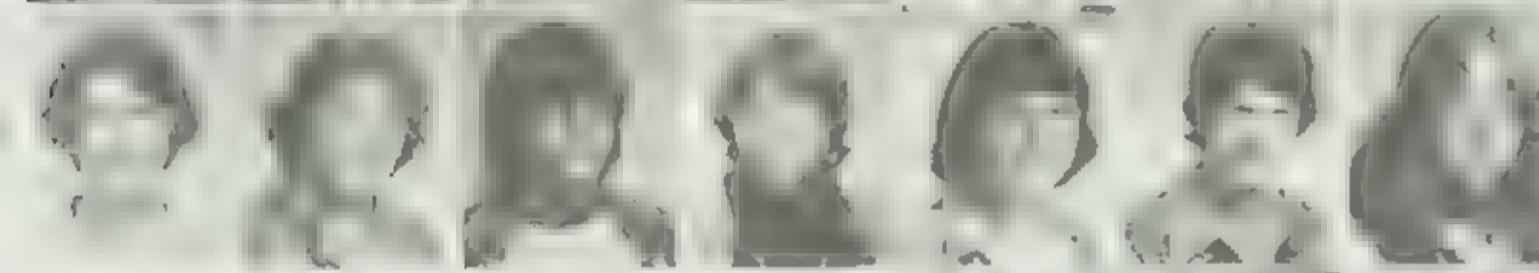
The float says it all



Teri Abney
Ray Adams
Dale Allen
Theresa Albrecht
Claudine Anderson
Tammie Arntz
Mike Ausra



Paul Baham
Cheryl Baker
Tim Bannow
Angie Barnett
Lori Bassett
Brad Bauer
Cliff Bekamps



Kevin Belue
Robert Bel
Scott Benett
Sue Bennett
Annette Berry
John Bok
Dane Boughan



I think you just saw the pic



Leroy Boyd
Rosemary Brosnan
Sue Brownear



Bruce Bruff
Brenda Campbell
Judy Canard



Tammy Carey
Link Carlisle
Barbara Carter
Kris Chapman
Eddie Childe
Jean Chicanbi
Cherie Christensen
Hugh Christopher
David Circosta
Mark Clark



Roxanne Clark
Roger Clayton
Joe Ciendenen
Kathy Cleveland
Rhonda Cloud
Kathy Collins
Vicki Conrad



Andy Cosey
Frank Courtney
John Crittend
Paul Cross
Celine Crump
Andy Custard
Sandy Darr



Experiencing . . .



Frosh cheerleaders add spirit to their victorious team.



Class of '81' puts together their first float



Donna Davis
Aren Decker
Debbie Deloof
Don Dennis
Julie Diamond
Chris Dodd
Tracy Dodd
Dan Dorgan

Ray Duenez
Kim Dutty
Patt Dupree
Shirley Dye
Burton Ederly
Jim Edgerly
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Shonda Edwards

Tammy Eland
Steve Everett
Pam Everman
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Gale Flake

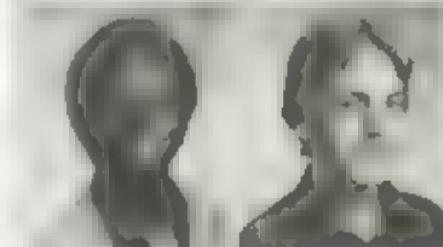
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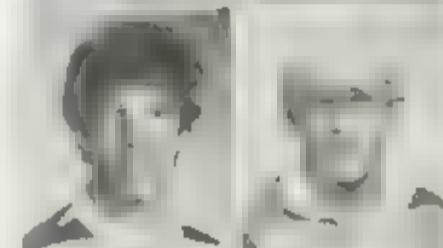
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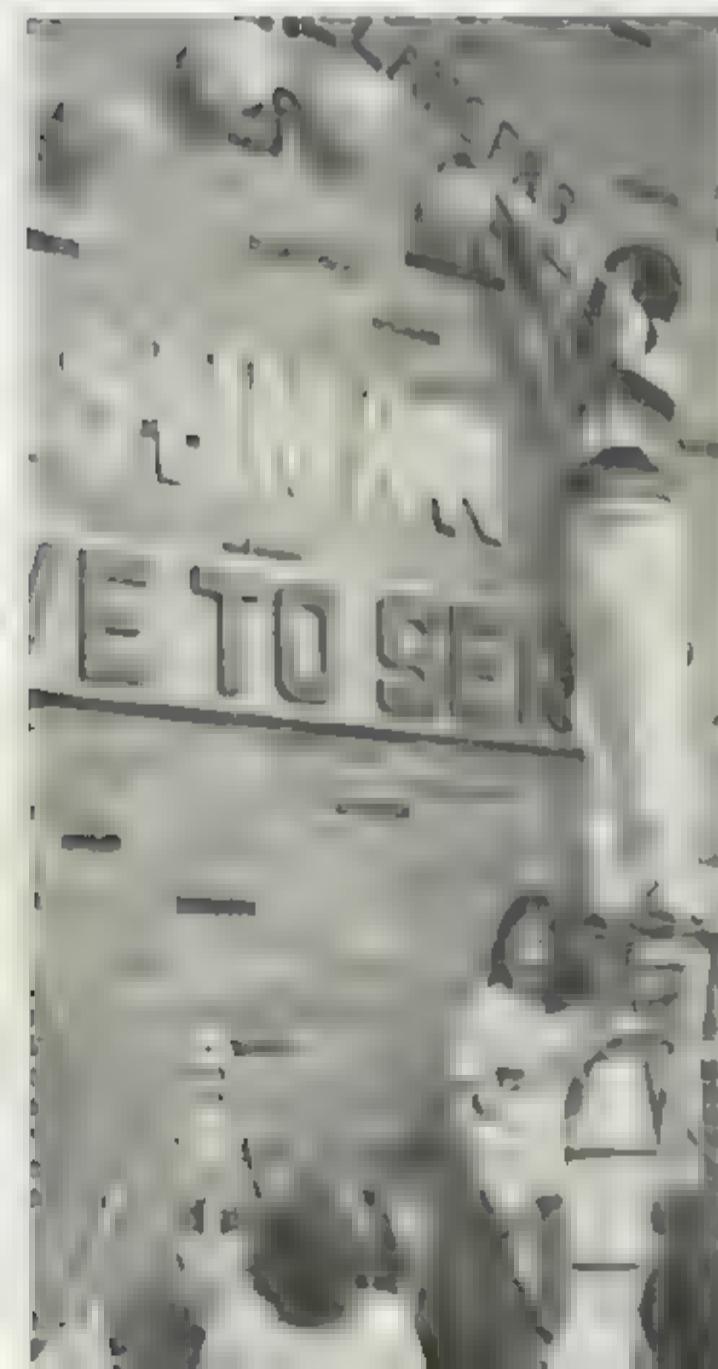
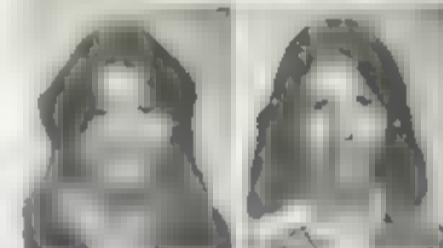
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Sandre Hawks
Brian Hedges
Tony Herrington
Carolyn H. Ilman
Theresa Hines



Lynn Holloway
Charles Hornburg
Curtis Lee House
Vicky Hoyl
Virginia Hull
Paula Hu
Lori Humphreys
Van Hunsburger



Deanna Huston
Barbara Huston
Bill Ironside
Gary Irwin
John Jackson
Mike Jackson
A. Jackson
Tina Jackson



Do you like the outfit? I picked it out myself!



Dan and Tiny, a set for a quicksmile

Farrell's the new fashion in the West
England's only teen magazine



Vicki James
Julie Jenkins
Bruce Joans
Anna Johnson
Jenny Johnson
Teresa Johnson
Derrick Jordon
Dennis Juday

John Jurgenson
Steve Juroll
Carol Justus
Doreen Kaczmarek
Marie Kahl
Barb Kazauskas
Karl Keween
Jeff Kimmey

Jeanice King
Paul King
Sherrie King
Katy Kirby
Debbie Kirsch
Mike Knapp
P. J. Koesis
Tonya Konopinski

John Krohne
Lori Krohne
Mary Krukowsk
Valerie Kugle
Sheri Lavell
Weston Leighton
Todd Lekarzyk
Kathy Letcher

Myra Lillie
Kim Longway
Pam Lovell
Jill Lucker
Karen Luke
Kathy Maddox
Bob Maleski
Nancy Magus



A welcome break for the kids to have fun.

Discovering . . .



Steve and Bruce clean the halls before class.



Front-Row Princess, Jamie-Nate and her escort

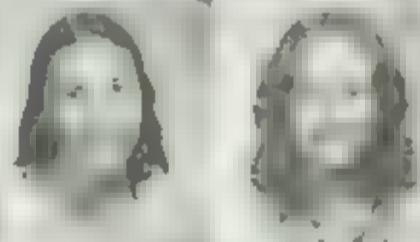


Are the pep rallies always this exciting?

Pam Marney
Sheri Marney
Tami Marney
Tina M. Anthony
Lori M. Felt
Sheri Means
Derrick McEwin
Mandy McEwin



Tracy McEwin
Lori McEwin
B. McEwin
Derrick McEwin
Amanda McEwin
Kathy McEwin
Kerry McEwin
Liz McEwin



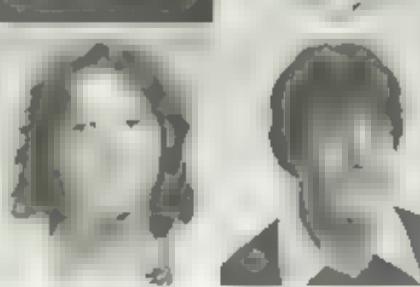
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Tracy Marney
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Sherry Marney
Tina Marney
Lori Marney
Tracy Marney
Mark Marney
Hilary Marney
Tony Marney



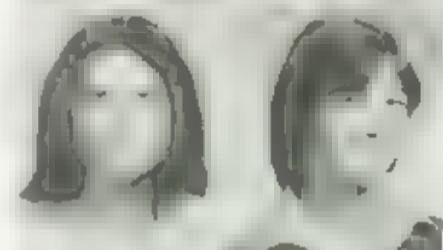
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Laurie Proshwitz
Kathy Pugh
Stephen Pugh
Theresa Ramos



Janet Rank
Jodi Rank
Tina Rank
Tom Rawson
Barbara Redding
Jim Reed
Lorraine Revis



Lourdes Reyes
Irene Richardson



Laura Risberg
RaiAnn Roach



Tracy Rohdy
Linda Ross



Ken Rucker
Wally Rule



LaTanya Ryan
Leah Sanders



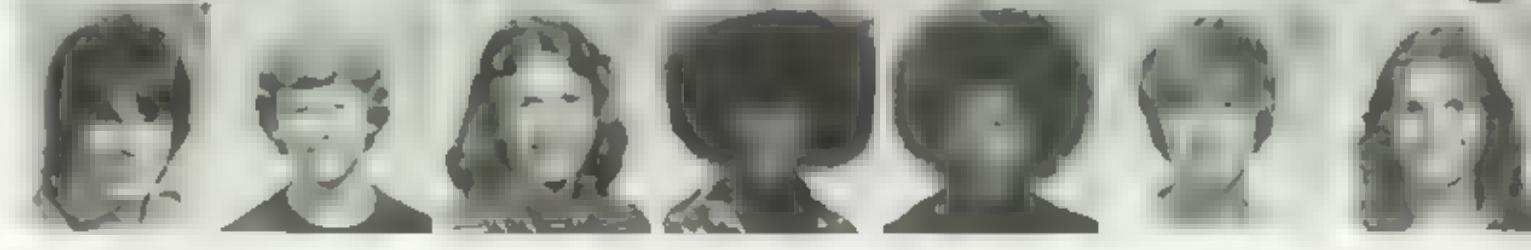
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Eric Sell



Della Sheridan
Wendy Sigfrids
Brian Singleton
Shawn Sirk
Annette Smith
Lori Smith
Roberta Smith



Barry Sparks
Scott Stambaugh
Sandy Stamp
Frances Starling
Jerry Starling
Jeff Stephens
Julie Stephenson



Caught with their books!

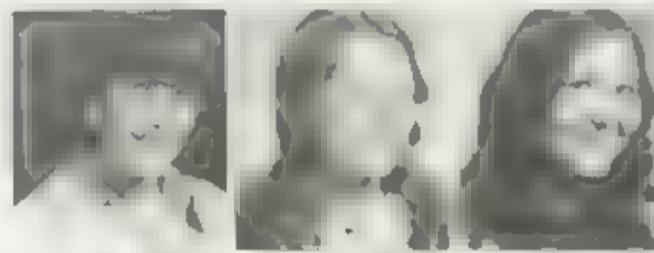


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Chad Szymczak

Jane Szymanski
Bruce Taggart

Steve [redacted]
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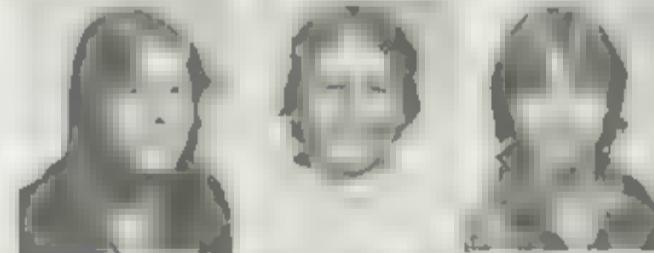
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Robert West
Sandy West
Audrey Wheately



Laurie White
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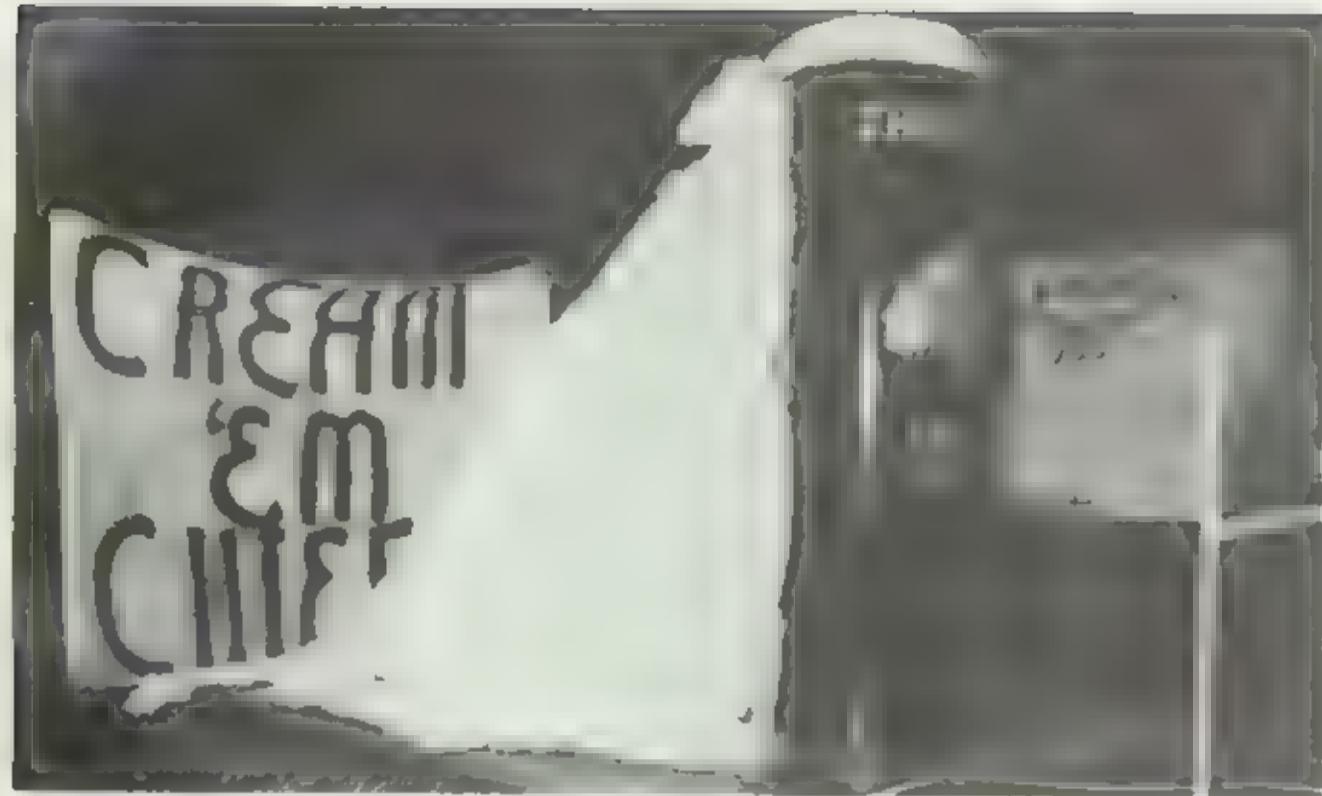
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Wish everyone had their enthusiasm



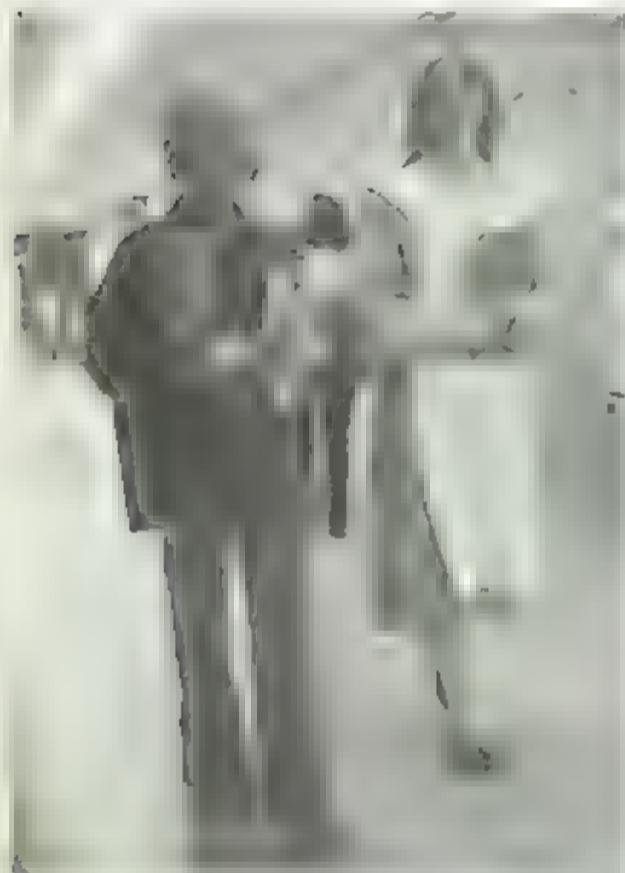
Enthusiastic.



The Sophomore class took third place in the competition.



Artie Angus is ready to put the last touch on his costume.



Halloween finds Sheila Hills and Mr. and Mrs. dressed for the occasion.



The relay race was won by the sophomores.



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Greg Aldrich
Diane Andrad
Teresa Anders
Tracy Anders
Warrene Anthony
Jan Arndt
James Baldwin

Rodney Bate
Joannie Bannow
Kevin Barnhart
Brenda Bass
Mark Bauer
Jeff Bauer
Robert Bauer

Steve Benjamin
John Benke
Judy Behnke
Judy Bennett
Lori Bentz
Marnita Berkley
Donald Billingsley



Was it something I said??



Theron Black
Connie Bonine
John Bourney

Pau Bowman
John Boyd
Carole Brewer

Nancy Brezen
Dorothy Brookins
Tony Brooks

Chris Brosnan
Tina Brownlow
Terri Bruff



Bruce Burden
Mark Burdick
Betty Campbell
David Chapman
Denise Chapman
Dawn Christensen
Beverly Clark

Brenda Clark
Karen Clark
Darcy Clarke
Tom Coffey
Mike Cook
Scott Corwin
Christ Cox

Friendships



OK everyone — say "Cheese!"



Nothing keeps Jerry away from school



Mary Davis
Maurine Decker
Steve Deh
Jeff Dennis
Dennis Disterhell
Linda Doberstein
Bill Dolins
Debbie Dorgan



Tony Douglas
David Drouillard
Patricia Dye
Tracy Edgerton
Mike Elsner
John Emerson
Brenda Ferick
Lee Ferrier



Jon Fester
Brent Fifer
Tracy Flanagan
Scott Fanders
George Florion
Todd Franklin
Kelly Frantz
Julie Frazier



Lisa Frazier
Eileen French
Sharon Froehlich
Doreen Fryman
Debbie Gard
Vicki Gard
Linda Gajewski
Monica Gebhard



Debbie Gillesby
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Roger Glynn
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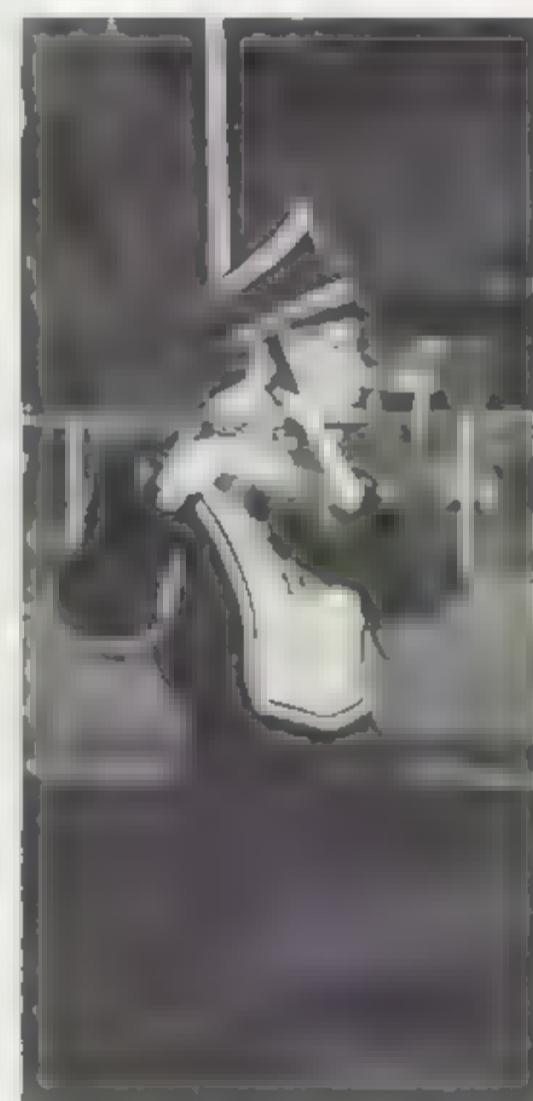
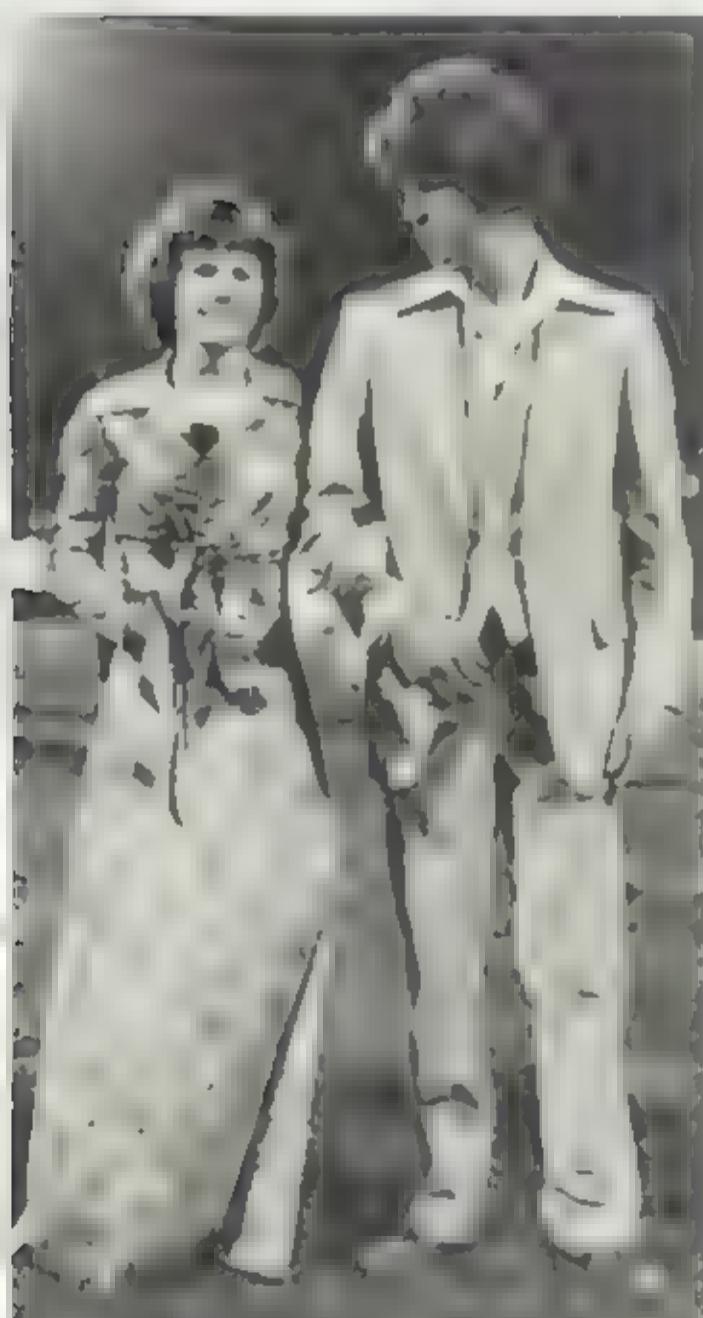
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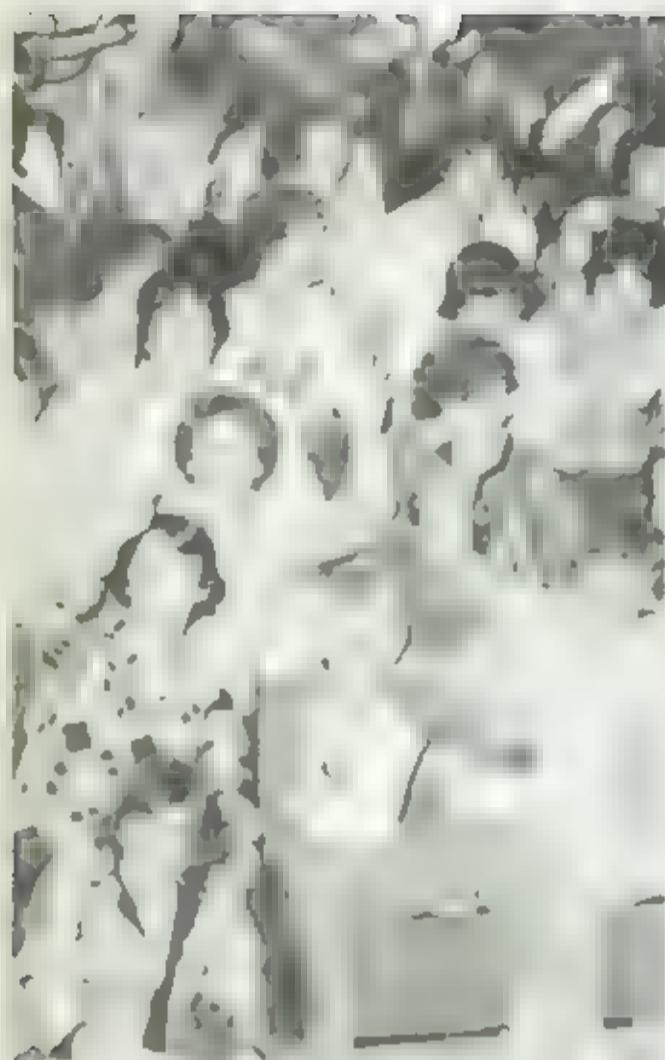
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Jim Judd
Nick Kaplunow
Kathy Kasper



Dan Kelly seems to have had a rough run

Far Left: A junior Sophomore Princess Sharon Froelich and her court John Borke

Mark Hart
Vicki Hart
Dawn Hart
Kelly Haver
Rita Guvias
Nancy Gwilt
Suzanne Hall
Roscoe Harris
Carmen Hart
Brenda Haskins
Penny Hatch
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Dawn Herten
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Gary Ivens
Larry Ivens
Danita Jackson
J. Neith Jackson
Kristi Jackson
E. James
Molly James
Jane Jessup
Michael Jenkins
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Sandy Johnson
Jeff Jones
Jim Joyner
Jim Judd
Nick Kaplunow
Kathy Kasper



The Sophomore guys give a rousing cheer for the camera



Flashing smiles a cameraman's delight



The underclass girls made a good showing of their talents with the 'Spirit' Wall



Kyle Kay
Marie Keller
Dan Kelley
Edward Kieta
Kay King
Becky Kingman
David Kirby
Scott Konopinski



Emily Kuck
Chris Lawrence
Julie Lawrence
Chris Laylin
Dyer Lee
Kathy Leitke
Larry Litherland
Dwight Loeding



Dan Lott
Dale Love
Carl Luthejone
Jan Luthringer
Juan Macias
Tammy Massey
William Mather
Janet McCartney



Robin McCoy
Kathey McDonald
Marla McKay
Sue McMeeker
Judy Mead
Penny Mead
Dawn Miller
Linda Moore



C. Hord Moravetz
Mike Moroz
Tina Morseau
Leslyn Mosher
Bob Mosier
Robert Motter
Kevin Murphy
Rich Myers

Sue Meyer
Nancy
Helen Nease
Bet Nease
Lee Nease
Paula Nease
Theresa Nease
Tricia Nease

Connie Olsen
Marsha Owens
Stephanie Owen
Dawn Palmer
Kirk Parsh
Jed Phase
Greg Park
Jeffrey Perkins

Heidi Peters
Mark Peters
Thomas Peters
Scott Peters
Zach Peters
Rick Peters
Judy Peters
Tina Peters

Kirk Petersen
Tammie Petersen
Alyssa Petersen
Christine Petersen
Mike Petersen
Lisa Rohde
Alyssa Rohde
Dawn Petersen

Leanna Peters
Tracy Peters
Mark Peters
Lori Peters
Pam Peters
Dawn Peters
Dawn Peters
Martha Peters



Front, left to right: Pauline Nease
Tricia Nease, Mrs. Nease, Mrs. Nease

Communicating.

Individuals.



WEDDING DAY, I DON'T KNOW WHAT IT MEANS



If you think I'm going to take this class again next year, you're crazy



Shirley Schrader
Roger Schaus
Ron Scherer
Ruth Schilling
Jeff Schoff
Dan Scott
Wanda Serati

Joe Shaer
Kenneth Simpson
Tammy Simpson
Brenda Shemick
Cindy Sma I
Robin Sma I
Cheri Smith

Don Smith
Donna Smith
Mike Smith
Kris Smith
Lynn Smith
Perry Smith



Kerry Sparks
Debbie Stamp
Mary Starrett
Sue Starrett
Rose Starrett
Gail Steele
Rob Stoops

Tim Stroup
Diane Stover
Lisa Sutherland
Mary Swanson
Lisa Tamm
Lisa Tamm
Steve Tamm



Eric Turner
Lyndon Vourhees
Sue Waalkes
Armetta Wade
Matt Ward
Lola Wallace
Judy Ward

Ralph Ward
Jim Wardlaw
Linda Webster
Theresa Weed
Bubble Wheeler
Kevin Wegner
Jim West

Me amie West
Vicki West
Lorie Weston
Michele Wheeler
Terry White
Kathy Williams
Sue Williams

Matt Williams
Angel Wilson
Keili Wilson

Joyce Wilson
Tammy Wilson
April Wittorp

Jon Wolfstrom
Kevin Yeager
Noe Zapata

Sophomore Spirit Wall



Sophomores get together to work on their spirit wall



"Mr. Hagen, get that photographer away from me!"



Answers



THE CRAFTS OF THE TOWNS



Prod. Day thru Sat. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sun. 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.



The Juniors' "Strike em'" received



Lonna Adams
Michael Aden
Jim Anders
Marchelle Anders
Ed Anthony
Lisa Arntz
Chris Ashman



Becky Churchill
Dora Clarke
Vicki Clarke

Linda Collins
Dale Corwin
Linda Craft

Bonita Critfield
Julia Cross
Kelly Cunningham

Diana Cyke
Beth Davis
Harold De-Hi



Doug DeLoof
Jody DeFries
Paul Deuel
Rodney Dillard
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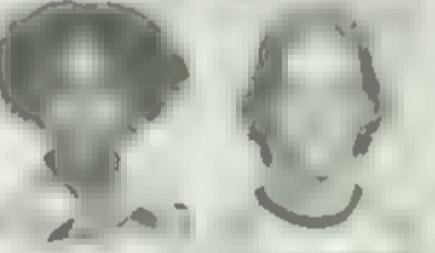
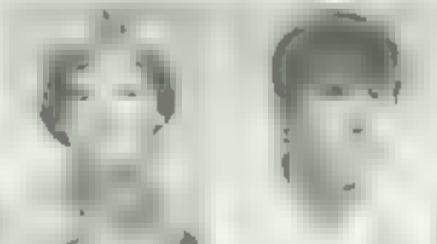
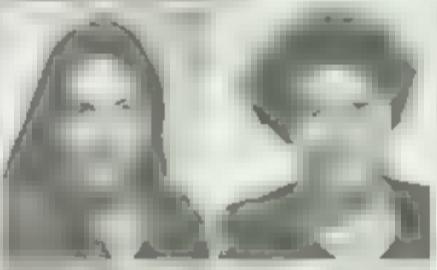
Enjoyment . . .



Going my way?"



Oh, go blow your horn!



Barry Fowler
Allen Gadeski
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Ed Gard
Mark Gatz
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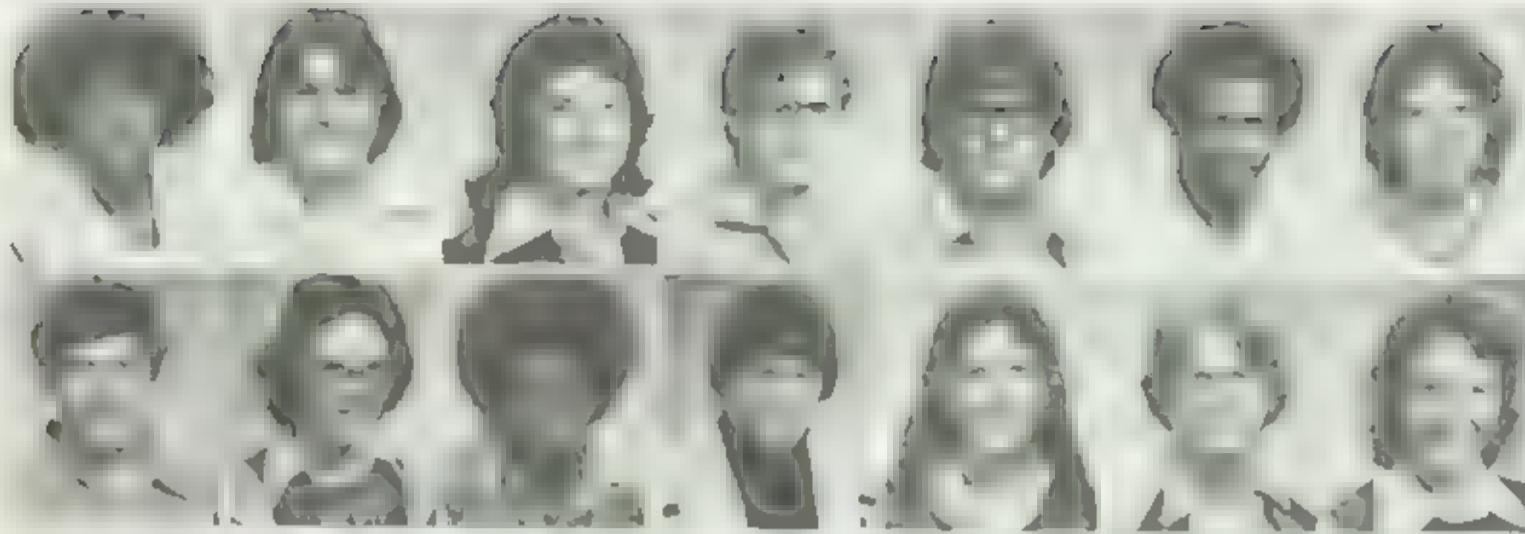
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Tyrone Haines
Dorothy Halliburton
Gerald Hargett
Dale Harlan

Karen Haran
Jeff Hartman
Sheryl Harrison
Laurie Havel
Ed Headley
Kim Hildebrand
Sheila Hill
Sherry Hines

Lisa Hippenstein
Lorraine Hotrum
Suzanne Horner
Joan Horvath
Jerry Hunsberger
Laurie Huys
Greg Ismay
Keith Ivens





Donna Miltigan
Sharon Mod
Tammy Morford
Brad Morrow
Brian Morrow
Craig Morrow
Rose Mary Moss



'Keep on truckin'!'



Bruce Munson
Karla Murphy
Carlotta Murray
Jeff Nate
Cheryl Neumann
Marty Nimitz
Connie O'Banion



Beth Wolfe, caught in a rare serious mood

Rick O'Konski
Tom Oliver
Scott Parmenter

Rodney Payne
David Phillips
Dave Phillipson

Kerry Poehlman
Marcy Poindexter
Judy Pompey

Penny Price
Carolyn Probst
Thomas Pugh

Cindy Purkins
Debbie Rawson
Julie Ray

Kenney Rayford
Allen Redding
Michelle Renfrow

Louis Richmond
Laura Rinderer
Mike Rohdy

Greg Ropp
Carol Ruff
Mike Sayer
Judi Scanlon
Bill Schilling
Fran Schrage



David Scott
Mark Sedor
Lora Sherk
Bonnie Shoemaker
Sandy Simpson
Jackie Smith
Mike Smith
Larry Shavaler

Tom Small
Deidre Smith
Jackie Smith
Mike Smith
Nancy Smith
Sharrise Smith
Becky Springsteen
Amen Staton

Cindy Steele
Tina Steinman
Donald Steward
Mark Stockwell
Donna Stover
Melissa Stuppy
Margaret Sumners
Bob Symonds

Brian Szymanowski
Patti Taggart
Candy Taylor
Lori Thomas
Chris Thornton
Lisa Tinkey
Nancy Tinkey
Barb Trapp



R O W D Y, that's the way you spell rowdy
Left: Frank Krisinski and Bill Jewell design their own sign for the Jr.'s wall

Involvement . . .





Tom Turnbow
Nancy Turner
Pam Veithouse
Debbie Waldschmidt
Craig Wall
Paula Warner
Anne Watkins

Laura Weber
Terry West
Terry Wheeler
Kevin Whiteoak
Bill Whitmore
Earl Woods
Melinda Williamson

Vicki Williams
Charlie Wilson
Larry Wilson
Tim Wilson
Tim Winters
Beth Wolfe
Mike Woods

Relaxation.



Mr. Woods' class



Terry makes himself comfortable while signing a yearbook



Above: Look what Santa Claus brought me
Left: Marci, Fred, and Alicia take "a break today"

Valedictorian

Salutatorian



DAVID MATHEWS
Valedictorian



DAWN STEELE
Salutatorian



DIANE BIZZELL



FRED BOURNEY



BILL CERVENY



LISA COX



TIM CURTIS



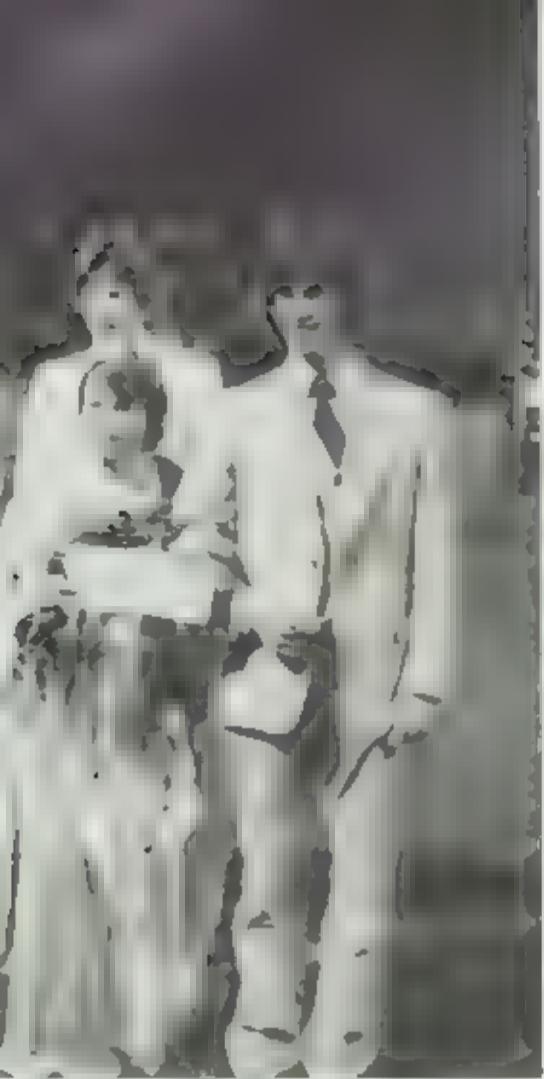
MICHEAL
DEWAEGEENREER



MARICIA DOUGLAS



TOM DROUILLARD



Chosen for 1978 Homecoming Queen and King were Sue Stoops and Steve Gajewski

High Honors



DENISE DWAN



PATTI FROEHLICH



STEVE GAJEWSKI



SHARRI JONES



CHERYL MILLER



BRUCE MORROW



TOM PACHECO



LAURIE RADTKE

DIANE BIZZELL Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12, Language Club 12, Library Aide 10, Student Council 11; Wahoo 10, 11, 12; Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12. FRED BOURNAY: Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12; Men's Varsity Club 10, 11; Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12. Baseball 10, 11, 12. Football 9, Intramurals 9, 10, 11, 12. LISA COX Graplerettes 9, 10, 11; Student Council 9, 10, 11, Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 11, 12. TIM CURTIS Aviation Club 9, 10, 11, 12, Library Aide 9, Student Council 9, Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12. MAUREEN GLAS Library Aide 11, Student Council 10, 12; Women's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12, Nat'l Honor Soc. 11, 12, Class Officer 12, Gymnastics 9, 10, 11; Track 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Jazz Band 10, 11, 12, Majorette 11, 12. TOM DROUILLARD Drama Club 12, Student Council 10, 11, 12, Men's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12; Bows and Arrows 11; Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12, Class Officer 12, Football 10, 11, 12, Wrestling 9, 10, 11, 12. DENISE DWAN Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Wahoo 10, 11, 12; Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12. PATRICIA FROEHLICH: Graplerettes 10, 11; Art Club 9, 10, 11; Student Council 9, 10, 12, Women's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12, Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12, Class Officer 10, 11, 12, Softball 10, 11; Cheerleader 9, 10; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Majorette 9, 11, 12. STEVE GAJEWSKI: Drama Club 10, 11, 12, Language Club 10, 11, 12, Ski Club 9, 10, 11, Men's Varsity Club 12, Wahoo 10, 11, 12, Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12, Football 9, 11, Tennis 9, 10, 11, 12, Wrestling 11, Choir 9, 10, 11, 12. SHARRI JONES: Student Council 10, 11, Bows and Arrows 12, Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12, Band 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band 9, 10, 12. BRUCE MORROW: Drama Club 11, 12, Ski Club 9, 10, 11, 12, Men's Varsity Club 12, Wahoo 12, Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12, Football 10, 11, 12, Tennis 11, 12. TOM PACHECO: Aviation Club 9, 10, Nat'l Honor Society 10, 11, 12, Football 10, 11, 12, Tennis 11, 12, Pep Band 9, 10, 11, 12, Majorette 11, 12, Softball 10, 11, 12.

High Honors



Tom Drouillard and Mark Cravens engrossed in Spanish class film



Dave Mathews magically making water boil in Physics class



JODY RYDER



SUE STOOPS



COLLEEN SULLIVAN



TERESA TAGGART



JOE THIELMANN



KIT WAGNER



MICHAEL WILLIS



SARA WRIGHT

Honors



ELVIE BRIZENDINE



DONNA COURTNEY



MARK CRAVENS



TERRIE CRIFFIELD



DONNA CYLKE



JODY FIRST



JULIE GANGER



PAT GERLACH



KOLLEEN GROVES

JODY RYDER Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12, Language Club 9, 10, 11, 12, Women's Varsity Club 12, Bows and Arrows 9 Nat'l Honor Soc 12, Track 10, 11, Choir 9, 10, 11, 12 SUSAN STOOPS Garterettes 10, 11, Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12, Women's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12 Bows and Arrows 11, Nat'l Honor Soc 10, 11, 12, Softball 10, 11, 12, Volleyball 10, 11, 12, Cheerleader 9, 10, 11, 12 COLLEEN SULLIVAN Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12, Garterettes 10, 11, Student Council 10, 12, Bows and Arrows 11, 12, Nat'l Honor Soc 12 Softball 11, Choir 9, 10, 11, 12 TERESA TAG GART Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12, Language Club 9, 10, 11, Wahoo 10, 11, 12, Nat'l Honor Soc 10, 11, 12 KIT WAGNER Art Club 10, 11, 12, Drama Club 9, Language Club 9, 10, Sk Club 11, Student Council 10, 11, Bows and Arrows 10, Wahoo 10, Nat'l Honor Soc 10, 11, 12 MIKE WILLIS Drama Club 11, 12, Language Club 10, 11, 12, Student Council 9, 10, 12 Nat'l Honor Soc 10, 11, 12 DONNA COURTNEY Art Club 9, Aviation Club 9, 10, 11, 12 Foreign Exchange Club 11, Gymnastics 9, 10, 11 MARK CRAVENS Aviation Club 9, Drama Club 10, 11, 12, Language Club 12; Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12, Men's Varsity Club 11, 12, Bows and Arrows 9, 10; Wahoo 12, Nat'l Honor Soc 12, Basketball 9, Football 9, 10, 11, 12, Tennis 9, 10, Wrestling 10, 11, 12, Choir 9, 10, 11, 12 DONNA CYLKE Women's Varsity Club 12; Nat'l Honor Soc 10, 11, 12, Cheerleader 9, 10, 11, 12, Choir 9 JODY FIRST Drama Club 10, 11, 12, Language Club 10, Wahoo 10, Band 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 10; Choir 9



Seeming deep in thought is Fred Bourney



Beth Massey sharing her candy cane with the photographer



Senior Homecoming Queen nominee Patti Froehlich and her escort Les Sutherland



MARY HEIDENREICH



KATHY HERTER



CHERI HILLMAN



SUE HOKANSON

CHERI HILLMAN: Art Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Drama Club 10, 11, 12; Foreign Exchange Club 11; Bows and Arrows 11, 12; Wahoo 12; Volleyball 10; Choir 9, 10, 11. SUE HOKANSON: FFA 9, 10, 11, 12, Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12. LINDA KELLER: Foreign Exchange Club 12; Women's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12; Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9; Softball 9, 10, 11. DARCY KIETZER: FFA 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Pep Band 10, 11, 12. JOANIE MAIER: 9, 10, 11; Women's Varsity Club 11; Softball 9, 10; Volleyball 10. BETH MASSEY: Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Ski Club 9, 10, 11; Student Council 11; Bows and Arrows 11, 12; Wahoo 9, 10; Class Officer 11, 12; Track 9, 10; Choir 12. CINDY MCGREW: Drama Club 9; Library Aide 9; Ski Club 10; Women's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12; Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12. JEFF MULLEN: Student Council 10; Men's Varsity Club 11, 12; Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12.



JAYNE HUNDT



KIM JONES

Honors



SHERRIE
KNDLSTORFER



DARCY KIETZER



LINDA KELLER



JANE LESCHBRANDT



CHRIS MAGIN



JOAN MAER



BETH MASSEY



CINDY MCGREW



JEFF MULLEN



Busy working up homecoming sign ideas are Scott Edson and Mary Hidenreich

Honor



PATRICIA PROCTOR



DONNA PRPICH



KRIS PULLINS



DALE RECTOR



TERRY SINGER



DEBBIE SNYDER



MARJORIE SPANGLER



ANDREW SPRAGUE



LES SUTHERLAND



DAN WEINMAN



Dawn Steele and her escort Steve Gaewski, enjoying the Homecoming king and queen selections.



Class Of 1978

The Seniors tribute to the "Sweet Taste of Victory."



JEANNINE
ALEXANDER

ERIC ANDERSON



TONY ARCHER

JEFF BACON

DAVID BANNO

BRENDA BASSETT



ROGER BEHNKE

STEVE BAUER

KRIS PULLINS: Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Pep Band 9, 10, 11, 12
DALE RECTOR: Drama Club 11, 12; Basketball 9; Golf 11, 12; Tennis 9, 10, 11, 12; Intramurals 9, 10; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Jazz Band 11; Drum Major 11, 12; Pep Band 9, 10, 11; Choir 9, 10, 11, 12. TERRY SINGER: Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12; Track 12; Wrestling 12. DEBBIE SNYDER: Aviation Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10; Class Officer 11, 12; Choir 9, 10, 11, 12; Nat'l Honor Soc. 12. MARGE SPANGER: Aviation Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12
ANDY SPRAGUE: Aviation Club 10, 12, Chess 9; FFA 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9, 10; Track 9; Intramurals 10, 11, Choir 10, 11. DAN WEINMAN: Student Council 9, 10, 11; Men's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12; Bows and Arrows 11; Nat'l Honor Soc. 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 9, 10, 11; Basketball 10, 12; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Intramurals 11. JEANNINE ALEXANDER: Art Club 11, 12; Drama Club 10, 11, 12; Graplerettes 10, 11, 12; Library Aide 10; Bows and Arrows 11, 12; Wahoo 11, 12. ROGER BEHNKE: Student Council 11, 12; Men's Varsity Club 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Track 11, 12; Intramurals 11, 12



Sheilah Boyd and Cher Hilman provide a little entertainment for English class



Beth Massey trods gingerly through the crowd at an assembly



PAM BISNETT



JULIE BJORGE



SHEILAH BOYD



SHANNA BRYANT



LAURIE BURM



CINDY CERECKE



RICHARD CHRIST



DAN CLEVELAND

Tomorrow's Leaders



Joe Miller making a putt to win the game



Audina Morgado and Denise Clendenin working on their projects for Home Crafts



BILL CLARK



DENISE CLENDENIN
BOULDREY



KURT COX



STAN CRAWLEY



MICHEAL CURRY



OSCAR DANZY



JACKIE DEFRIES

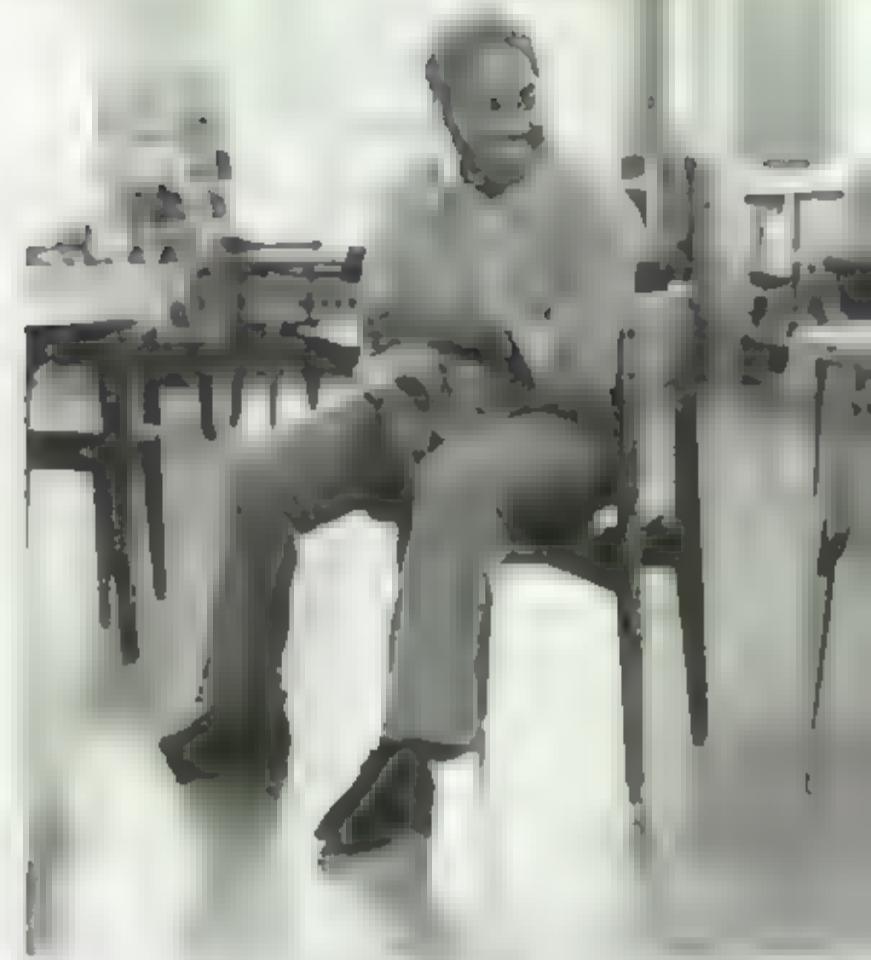
CINDY CERECKE: Student Council 9, 10; Basketball 9, 10; Choir 9, 10.
KURT COX: Men's Varsity Club 11, 12; Class Officer 11; Baseball 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Wrestling 9, 10, 11



JIM DEMING



RORY DEWEY



The library seems amus ng to Kevin Cosey



KEVIN DICKSON



LARRY DISTERHEFT



TAMMY DODD



ANN DONOVAN



BOB DOWSETT



LORI DRAVIS



EILEEN DYE



ERNIE EDGERLY

The Year Was Long



SCOTT EDSON



CATHY FOSTER



JOE FRAZIER



NANCY FRENCH



RUSTY GAILHOUSE



MICHAEL GANTT



DAVID GARRITANO



LEONA GIBSON



CINDY GRAVIT



JAY GREENMAN

LARRY DISTERHEFT: Aviation Club 9, 10, 12; Basketball 9, Football 9, Band 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band 12. TAMMY DODD: Graplerettes 11, 12; Library Aide 9, 10; Bows and Arrows 11; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Pep Band 9, Class Officer 11, 12. ANN DONOVAN: Library Aide 10, 11; Bows and Arrows 12. BOB DOWSETT: FFA 10; Ski Club 9, 10; Men's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12; Cross Country 9, 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12, Intramurals 11, 12. EILEEN DYE: Women's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Volleyball 9, Choir 9. SCOTT EDSON: Drama Club 10, 11, Foreign Exchange Club 9, 10, 11, 12. CATHY FOSTER: Art Club 12, Drama Club 11, 12, Student Council 11, 12, Bows and Arrows 11, 12, Wahoo 11, Cheerleader 9, Band 9, 10, Majorette 9, 10.

And Often Hard



FRED GRIECHEN



DANIEL GRIFFIN



RICHARD GUNTLE



BRIAN HODGES



OLA HUSTON



BARB HUFF



ELVIS IRVING



GLENDY JAMES

DANIEL GRIFFIN Foreign Exchange Club 9, Bows and Arrows 10, 11, 12, Wahoo 10, 11, 12, Wrestling 11 BRIAN HODGES Library Aide 9 Men's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12 Basketball 9, 10 Football 9, 10, 11, 12, Tennis 9, Track 11, 12, Intramurals 11, 12 OLA HUSTON Women's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12, Bows and Arrows 11 Basketball 10, 11, 12, Softball 9, 10, Track 11, 12, Choir 10 CAROL JESSUP Band 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band 10, 12 REBECCA JOHNSON Chelettes 9 Garterettes 9, 10, Women's Varsity Club 9, 10, 11, Basketball 9, 10, 11, Track 9, 10, 11, 12, Band 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band 9, 10, 11, 12 MARIA JUDD Band 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep Band 10, 11, 12 M KURDELMAYER Student Council 9, Men's Varsity Club 9, 10, 11, 12, Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Track 9, 10, 11, 12; Wrestling 9, 10, 11, 12, RONA LAY LIN Band 9, 10, 11, 12 JUDY LUTHRINGER FFA 9, Library Aide 11, Band 9, 10, 11, 12



Right: Dan Griffin takes a shot at the teacher



Ronald McDonald dolls offer a new diversion during class time for Sharri Jones and Vicki Garritano



CAROLYN JESSUP

DAVID JOHNSON



REBECCA JOHNSON



LAURIE JOLLY



MARIA JUDD



JIM KURDELMEYER



JIM KUSESKE



RONA LAYLIN



SHERYL LAYLIN



JUDY LUTHRINGER



LARRY MC LAUGHLIN



Mike Nate poses in his "cool" position.



Jim Waalkes kiddingly threatens an unseen to mentor outside of class



ROBERT MIDDLETON



JOE MILLER



ALDINA MORGADO



JIM MOSIER



QUENT MULDER



BETH MYERS



MIKE NATE



TONI NEMETH

But We Endured,



JEFF NICHOLS



COLLEEN NOZICKA



KEN OISTEN



DEBRA OPREA



ANNETTE OWEN



JOE PERKINS



MIKE PETERSON



BILL PHILLIPS



MARK PRICE

Left: Dress-up day provided Bruce Wilson the perfect opportunity to compete with local girls for "prettiest legs."

LARRY MC LAUGHLIN: Men's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; ROBERT MIDDLETON: Aviation Club 10, 11; Drama Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Wahoo 10, 11, 12; Golf 12; Choir 9, 10, 11, 12. MIKE NATE: Men's Varsity Club 11; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Wrestling 9; Intramurals 11, 12. DEBBY OPREA: Garterettes 10, 11, 12; Ski Club 9; Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12; Class Officer 12; Track 10; Cheerleader 9, 10, 11. MIKE PETERSON: Aviation Club 9, 10, 11; Drama Club 10, 11, 12; Men's Varsity Club 11, 12; Wahoo 11, 12; Class Officer 11; Basketball 9; Football 9, 10; Golf 11, 12; Tennis 9; Track 9; Wrestling 10, 11, 12; Choir 9, 10, 12.



WILLIS ROGERS



CRAIG ROHDY



Physics class offered many chances for early morning discussions



DEBI SCHULTZ



TERESSA SHERIDAN



MIKE SHOEMAKER



TAMMIE SQUIER



CHRIS STAMBAUGH



RONNI SHEPHESTON



TIM STUPPY



JIM WAALKES

And Emerged Victorious



CINDY WALLACE



KATHY JO WEST



PATTY WHEETLEY



CINDY WHITE



KEITH WHITE



TODD WILSON



TONI WINANS



SHARON ZABLOCKI

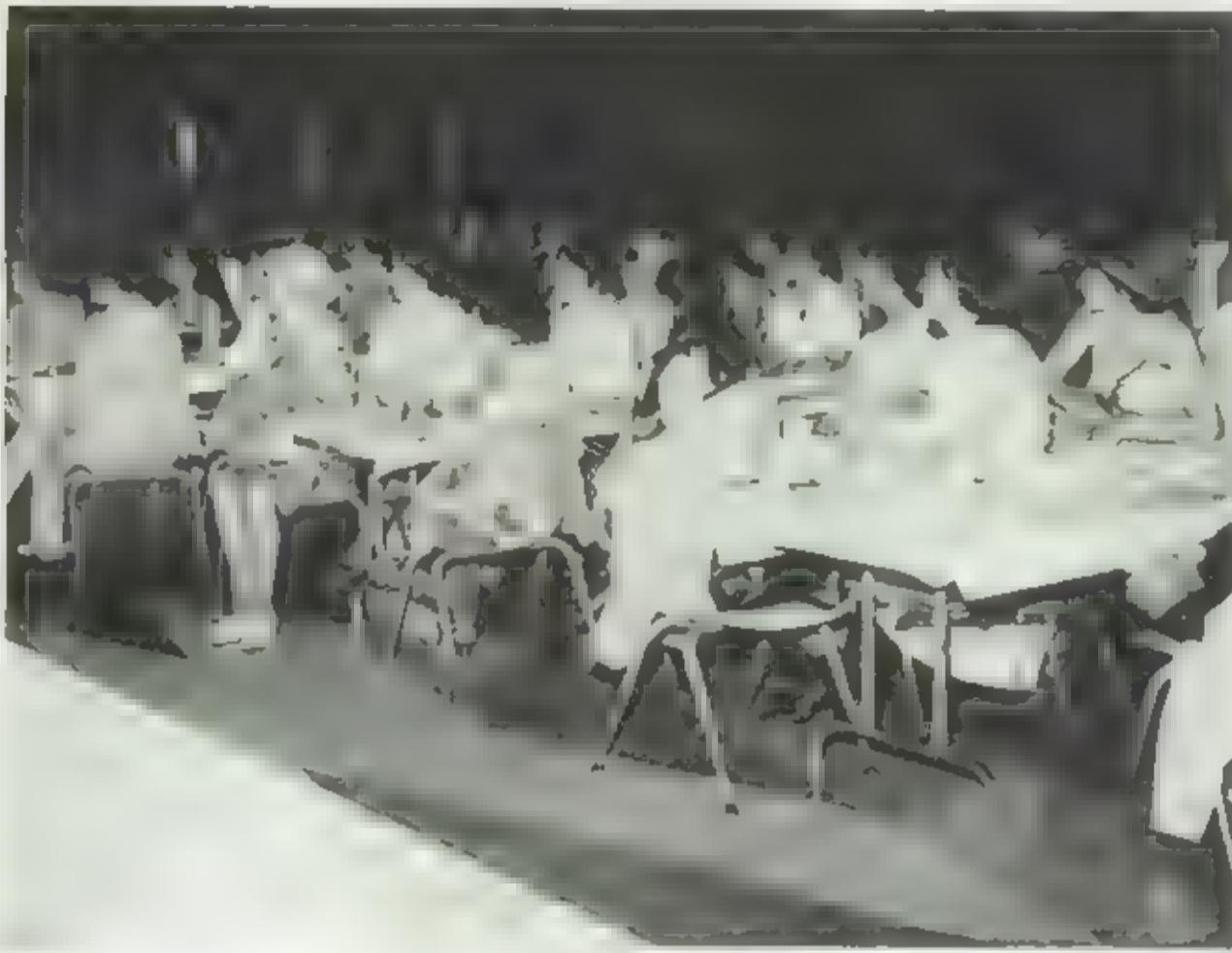


JERRY ZACHARY

Left: Andy Sprague takes a break in Physics class

TERESSA SHERIDAN: Library Aide 12. BOB SHORT: Aviation Club 10, Bows and Arrows 12; Basketball 9, 10, 11; Football 9, 10, 11; Track 12. TIM STUPPY: Men's Varsity Club 10, 11, 12; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Wrestling 9; Intramurals 9. CINDY WHITE: Student Council 12; Softball 9; Band 9, 10; Majorette 9. TONI WINANS: Library Aide 9, 10. BRUCE WILSON: FFA 12. TODD WILSON: Basketball 9, 10, 11; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 12; Intramurals 12. SHARON ZABLOCKI: 9, 10, 11

Turn Around And You're Grown



A large crowd attends the Annual tea



Beth Massey gives the Welcome to the Mother



Entertainment for the evening was provided by Dawn Steele



Colleen Sullivan



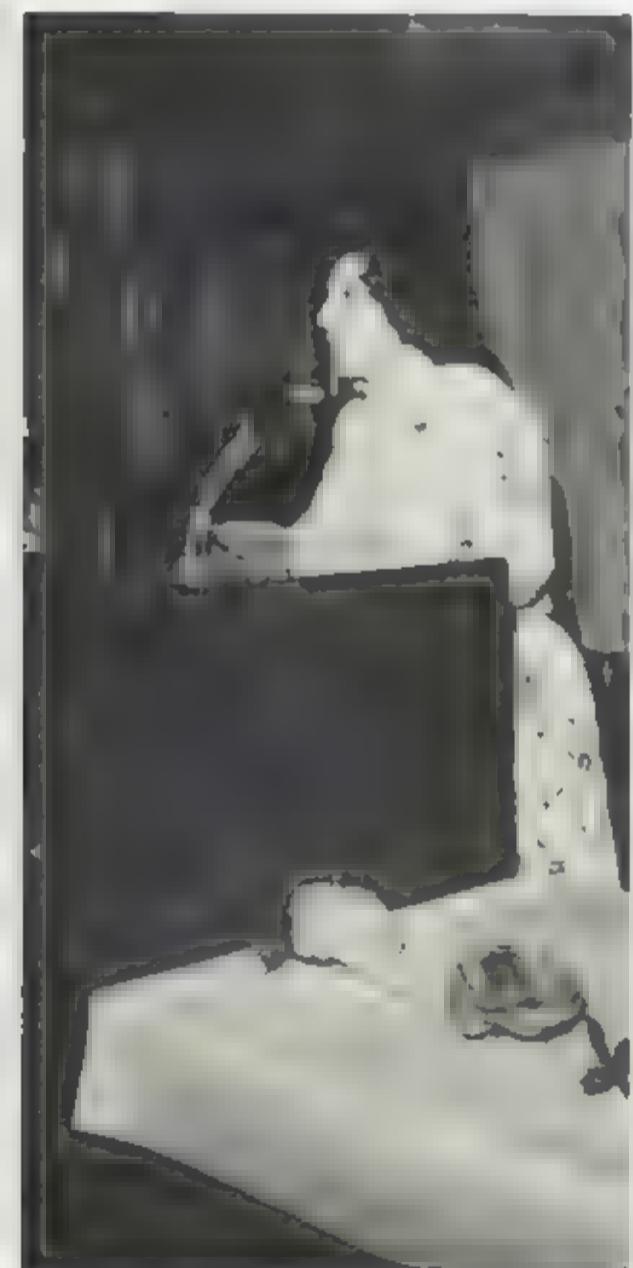
Mark Cravens



Brian Barr



Refreshments were served at the end of the evening.



Mrs. Massey gives the mothers' response



Mr. Boles talks about women's liberation



Mary Heidenreich reads a poem at the tea

Graduation 1978



Dawn Steele — Salutatorian



David Mathews — Valedictorian





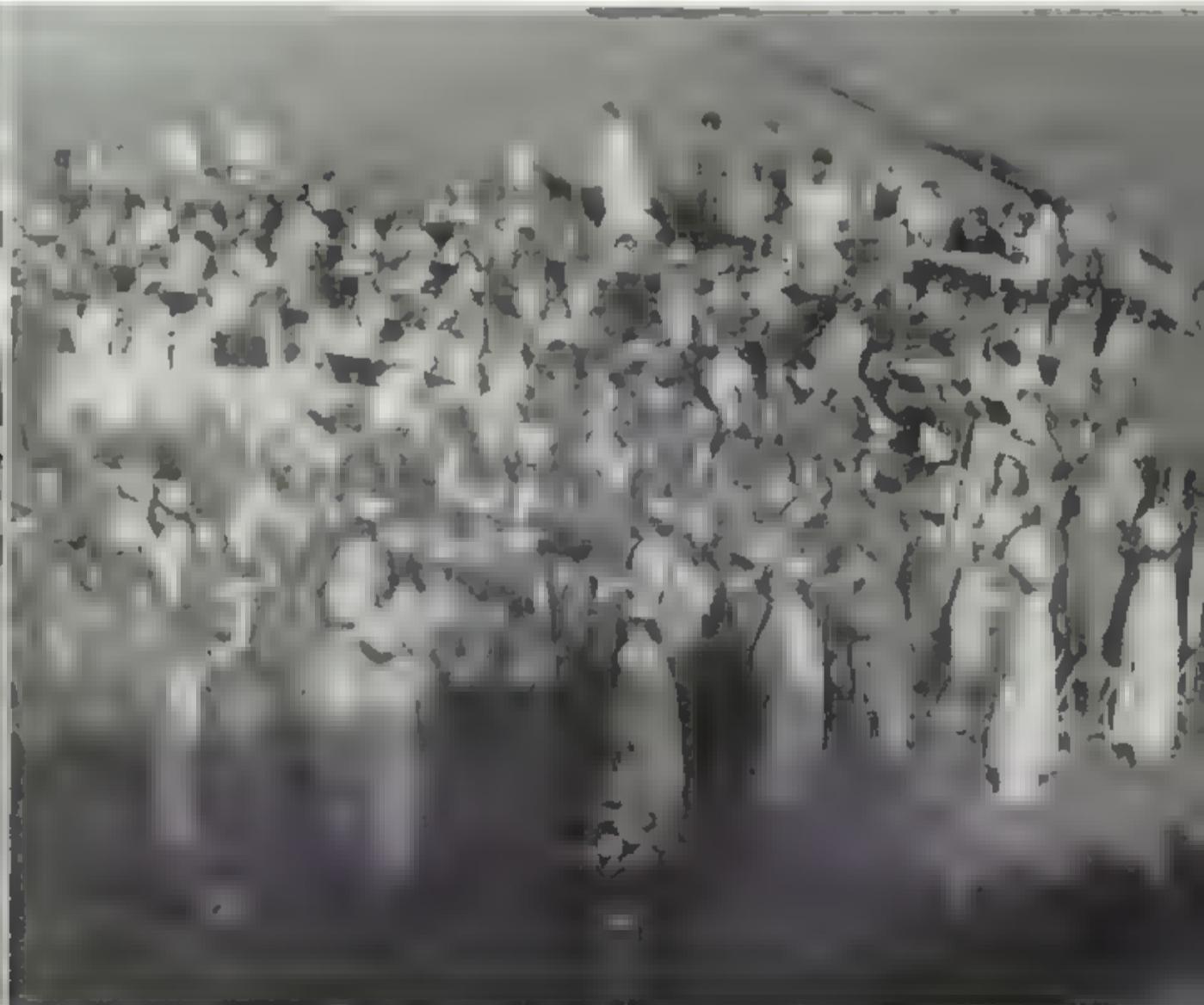
Mr. Boies Principal



Mr. Stacey — Superintendent



Tom Drouillard — Class Representative





Graduation 1978



BACCALAUREATE AND COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM
MONDAY, JUNE 5, 1978, 7:30 P.M.
ALUMNI FIELD

PROCESSIONAL	Pomp and Circumstance Dowagiac Union High School Band Tom Stansifer, Director	Elgar
INVOCATION	The Rev. Larry Gattis, St. Paul Episcopal Church	
ADDRESS . . .	Rev. John Ristow, United Methodist Church	
CHORALE SELECTIONS	"Patriotic Medley" Battle Hymn of the Republic Arr. Wihousky Dowagiac Union High School Concert Choir Ronald Benken, Director	Arr. Huff
Comments		Mr. Lionel Starey Superintendent of Schools
VALEDICTORIAN		David Mathews
PRESENTATION OF GIFT		Thomas Drouillard, Senior Board
PRESENTATION OF CLASS		Mr. Richard Boles, Principal
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS		Mr. Richard Sifford, President Board of Education
BENEDICTION	Rev. Larry Gattis, St. Paul Episcopal Church	
RECESSIONAL	"Pomp and Circumstance" Dowagiac Union High School Band	Elgar



SPORTS

Working together, practicing long hours to perfect our game plans. It didn't always work out; we won and lost — but that didn't stop us. We persevered — and maybe in the end that is the greatest type of winning.

Chieftain Gridders Finish Second In Conference

After finishing with a disappointing season in 1976, the Chieftains came back with a fine showing in 1977. Finishing second in the conference to state ranked Cassopolis, the Chieftains led the conference in defense, holding their opponents to an average of 172 total yards and 9.4 points per game. Offensively the Chiefs were second only to Cassopolis in league play, averaging over 300 yards per game.

Leading the Chieftain attack were senior standouts Mike Nate, Jeff Mullen, Kurt Cox, Keith Bradfield, Tim Stuppy, Todd Wilson and 1st Team All Conference selections Dan Weinman, Larry McLaughlin, and Roger Behnke. Next year Chieftain fans can look forward to the return of junior stand outs Craig Morrow, Greg Ismay, Jeff Nate and Bill Jewel, all steady performers for this year's team. With the addition of the players from the varsity reserve team, the Chieftains should be considered very competitive in the league race. The game which will stand out in the minds of many who recall this season is the one point win over previously state ranked Niles Brandywine, when the Chiefs overcame a 20-0 halftime deficit to win 21-20. On the other side, the disappointment of one point last minute losses to Detroit St. Martin DePorres and cross country foe Edwardsburg and championship loss to Cassopolis before a standing room only crowd will not be forgotten.



Todd Wilson leads the way for Craig Morrow



It takes a lot of practice for Todd Wilson and Jeff Nate to get the field goals.



Sharpshooter Larry McLaughlin fires a pass behind the blocking of Bill Jewel



A host of Chieftain defenders bring down a DePorres runner



Craig Morrow on another touchdown jaunt



Senior quarterback Larry McLaughlin warms up before the game

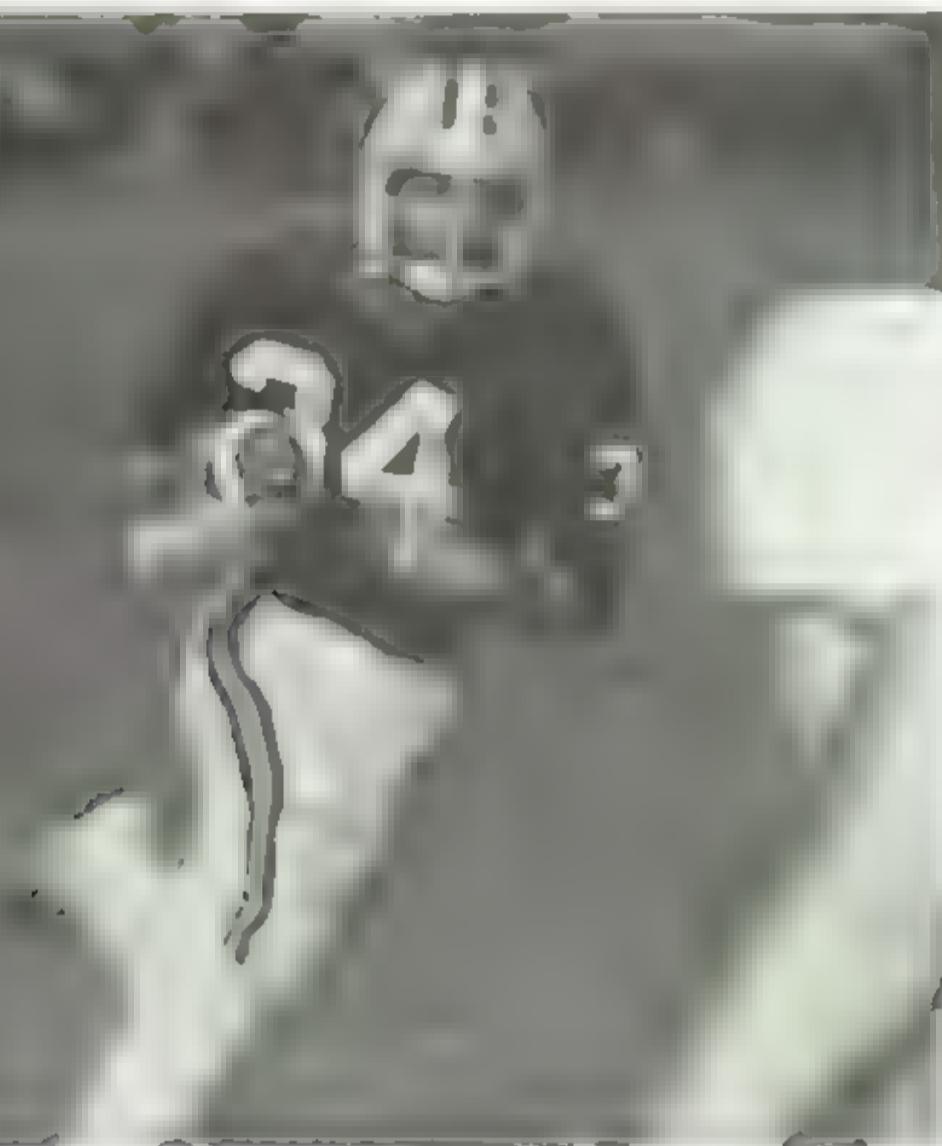


A hard hit by Jeff Nate causes a fumble

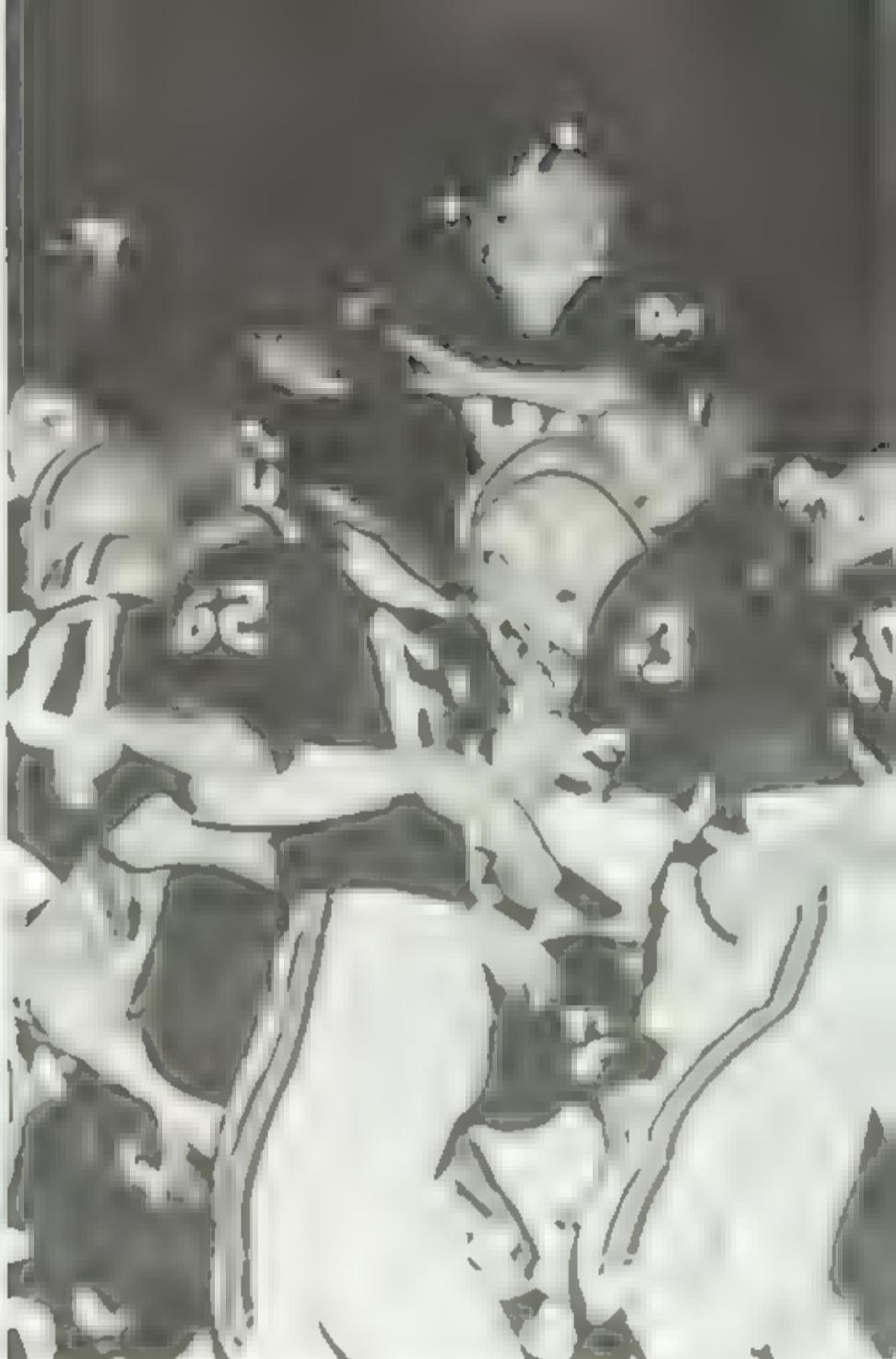


The Chieftain defense bears down deep in their own territory

Powerful Defense Spells Success



1,000 yard gainer Craig Morrow turns the corner



Chieftain gridders "whoop it up"



Dan Weinman breaks a long gainer

SCOREBOARD

1977 Varsity Season 5-4

Dow	19	Detroit St. Martin	DePorres	20
Dow	14	Coloma		6
Dow	7	Edwardsburg		8
Dow	9	Lakeshore		7
Dow	30	River Valley		0
Dow	21	Brandywine		20
Dow	41	Buchanan		0
Dow	14	Cassopolis		25
Dow	7	Niles		21

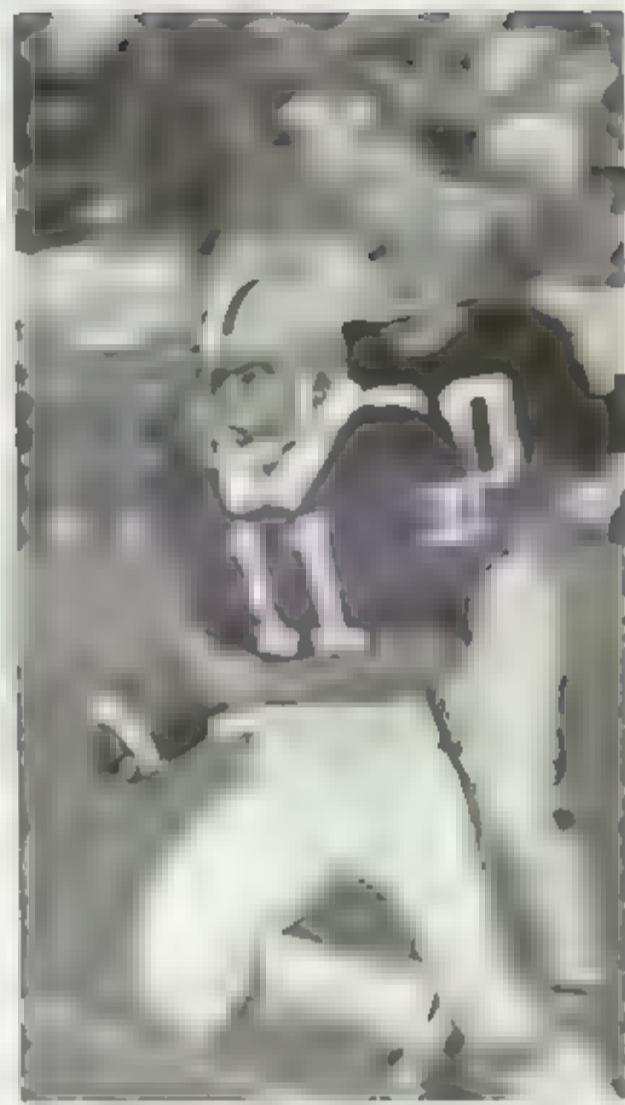
These pages courtesy of the Dowagiac Athletic Boosters Club.



Dan Weinman shows some fancy footwork as he weaves through defenders.



Tim Stuppy always gets his man



Once Jeff Nate gets around the corner, he's gone



VARSITY J.V. FOOTBALL

FRONT B. Eiter, D. Drury, Lard, D. Love, S. Deahl, K. Proshwitz, J. Wood, M. Burdick, C. Cox, T. Mayn, T. Pugh, M. Smith, T. Sayer, K. Parrish, R. Myers, J. Bauer, E. Turner
MIDDLE M. E. Snider, T. Gagan, C. Brezen, G. Hargrett, K. Rayford, T. Weston, D. Phillips, Frank F. Krzinski, K. Cox, J. Kurde Meyer, J. Miller, J. Massey, B. Short, T. Coffey, T. West, M. Nate, D. Steward
BACK Mgr. D. Harlan, B. Hodges, D. Weinman, B. Jewel, M. Sayer, S. James, M. Cravens, J. Mullen, L. Ferrier, J. Bourne, B. Burden, G. Ismay, J. Waakes, R. Behnke, L. McLaughlin, C. Morrow, J. Nate, W. Bolton, S. Crawley, T. Stuppy, T. Winters, C. Wall

1977: A Year Of Improvement

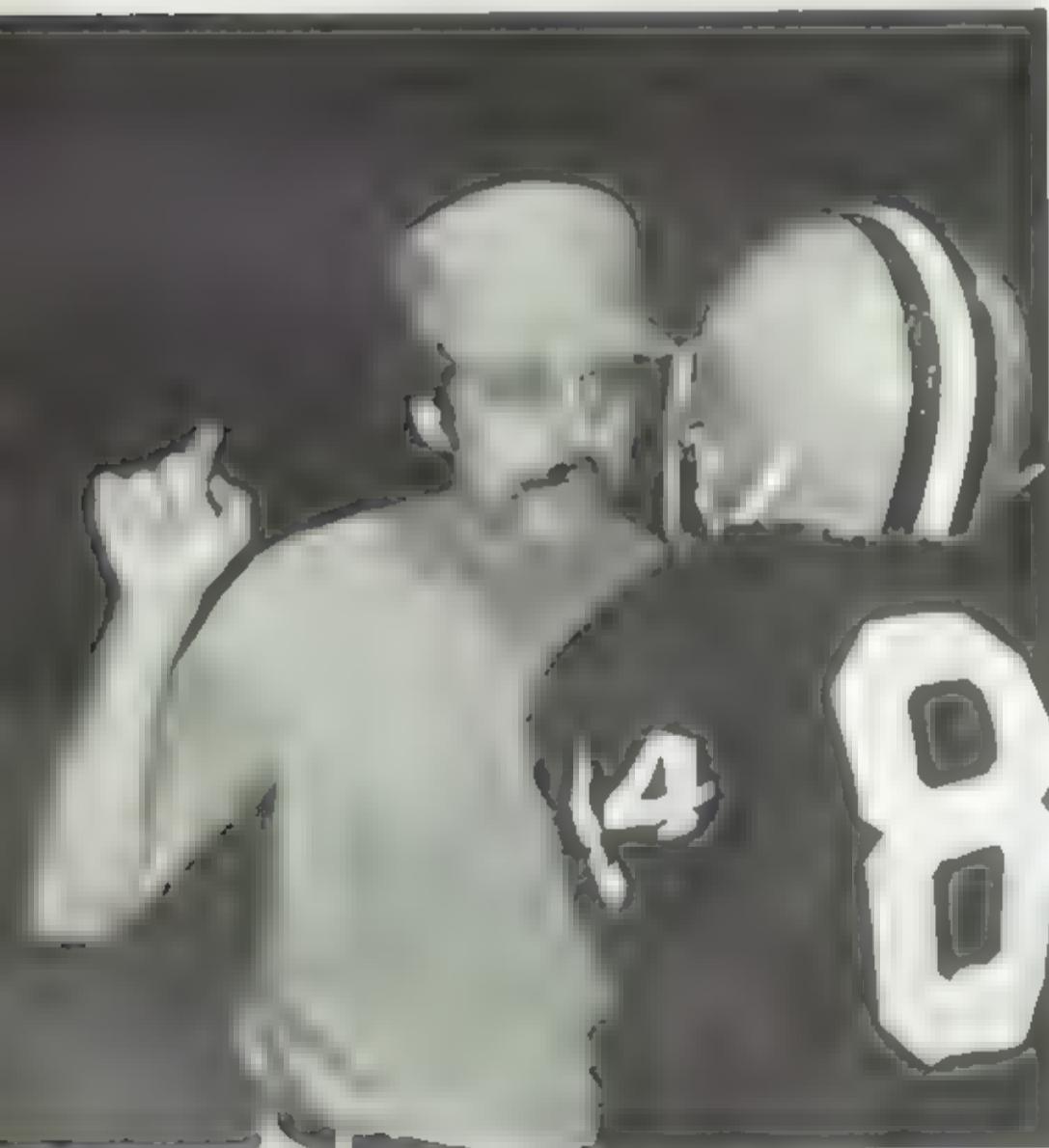
The 1977 J.V. football team opened their season with a dominating performance over Hanover-Horton by the score of 34-0. In the first Blossomland contest Dowagiac pulled out a hard fought decision over Cooma by stopping the Comets on the 2 yard line in the last minute of play. These two games provided a preview for the season.

After a loss to eventual J.V. conference champs Edwardsburg, the reserves defeated Lakeshore, River Valley, Brandywine, and Buchanan before bowing to Cassopolis and Niles at the end.

The Varsity Reserve record at 6 and 3 was a complete turn around from the previous freshmen season. The offensive line did a great job in opening up holes for Jack Wood enabling him to gain over 1,000 yards. Chris Cox had over a 50% completion percentage to a host of receivers. On defense, Tom Pugh led the Chieftains with 84 tackles for the year.



Dave Drouillard gains yardage on the Hanke reverse



Coach Sala gives some wise pre game instructions



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Tom Coffey eludes this River Valley defender



Mike Elsner gets his foot into the action



Quarterback Chris Cox rolls out in search of a defender



Jack Wood picks up valuable yardage

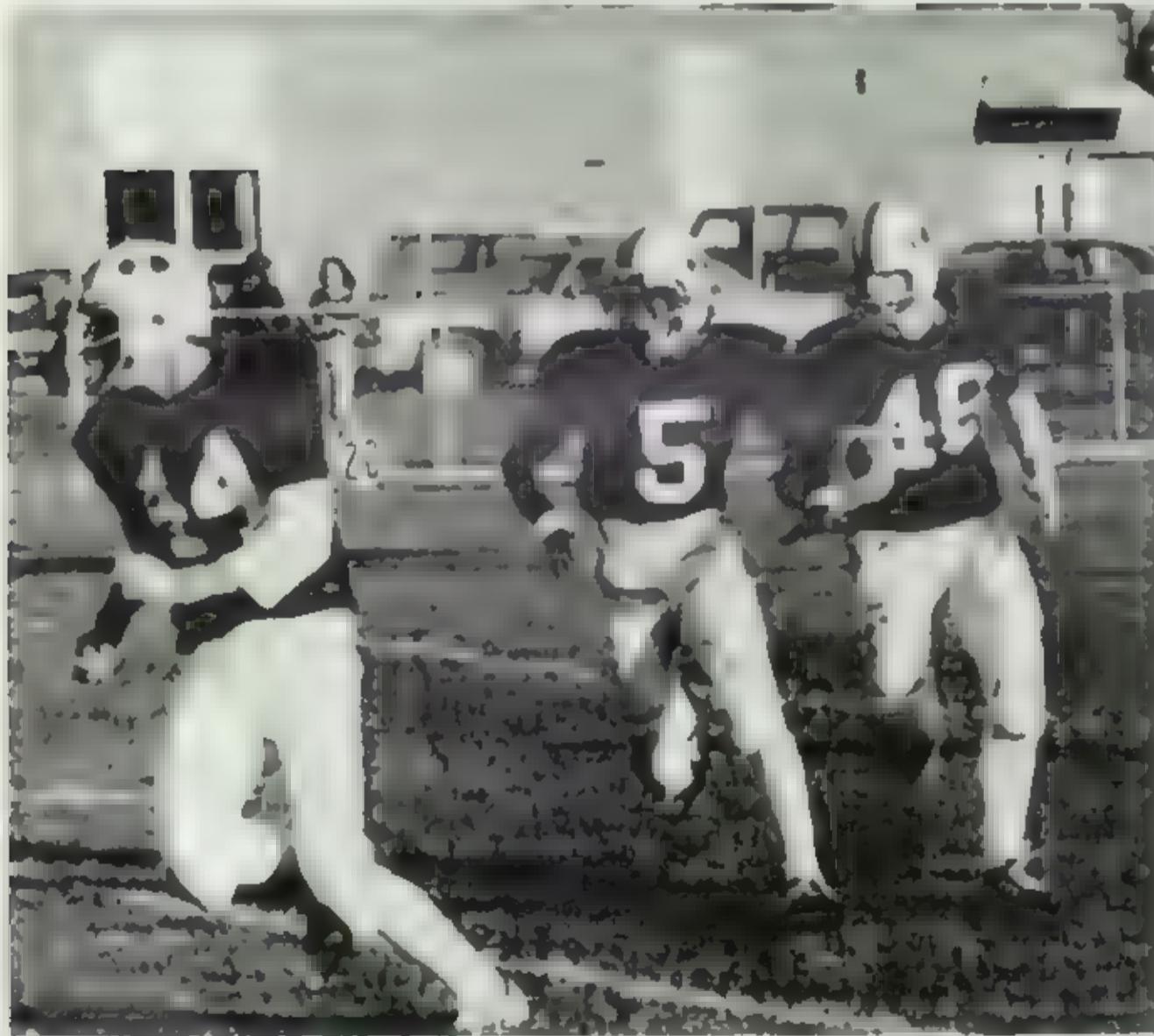
SCOREBOARD			
Dow	38	Hanover Horton	0
Dow	20	Coloma	14
Dow	2	Edwardsburg	22
Dow	20	Lakeshore	14
Dow	52	River Valley	0
Dow	34	Brandywine	0
Dow	40	Buchanan	20
Dow	8	Niles	28



The frosh eagerly await the start of the game



Derick Jordan leads the high-powered freshmen offense on a sweep



Dan Dorgan (44), and Derick Jordan (5) Lead the way for Ray Ferrier (46) around the end

The Freshmen Football finished their season with a fine 8 win 0 loss 1 tie record. The team was built around a stingy defense headed up by Coach James that gave up less than 7 points per game. The offense was paced by a strong running attack that produced an average of 31 points per game. The highlight of the season was the come from behind win over St. Joe. In that ball game the defense made 3 stalwart stands inside their 20 yard line in the final quarter to assure the win and the undefeated season

Frosh Go Undefeated



Todd Petro looks on as Dan Dorgan is brought down



Ray Ferrier starts the game with the kick off



FRONT: B. Willis, R. Wolverton, D. Jordan, A. Cosey, B. Ostrowski, C. Phillipson, S. Taylor, T. Pompey, S. Pugh
MIDDLE: Coach James, S. Sirk, D. Grays, D. Wolverton, R. Ferrier, K. Betew, Ausra, T. James, D. Dorgan, T. Garritano, B. Sparks, B. Bruff
BACK: Todd Lekarzyk, D. Merwin, B. Glynn, B. Miligan, K. Rucker, B. Hartline, C. Symshok, D. McCartney, B. Bower, E. Sell, T. Petro, D. Symmonds, Coach Dock

SCOREBOARD

Dow	24	Benton Harbor	0
Dow	36	Coloma	0
Dow	32	Edwardsburg	19
Dow	12	Lakeshore	12
Dow	24	L.M.C.	8
Dow	56	Buchanan	0
Dow	42	Cassopolis	0
Dow	24	St. Joe	16

Cross Country Shows Improve- ment

The Chieftain Cross Country team finished its best season in a long time by finishing 4th in the Conference Championship. They also showed progress in big invitationals, finishing better each succeeding event. Next year they'll miss Mike Gant and Mike Klobucar who were leaders of the 1977 team, but they will look forward to the return of lettermen Kelly Cunningham, Dan Kelly, Dan Lott, Mike Cook, and Jon Biek. With help from new runners they should have again a good team.

SCOREBOARD

DOWAGIAC	OPP
30	Brandywine
38	Buchanan
28	Coloma
50	Edwardsburg
25	Cassopolis
19	Decatur
38	Lakeshore
28	River Valley

4th in Conference
Championship Meet



Dan Lott shows future promise



Kelly Cunningham finishes ahead of the pack



Mike Gant experiences the "thrill of victory."



Senior Dave Mathews sees the light at the end of the tunnel



Freshman Jon Biek victorious y crosses the finish line



Dan Kelly heads for the finish line with a good time



FRONT ROW, l to r: M. Cook, D. Kelly, D. Lott, J. Gantt, M. Klobucar
STANDING: Coach Sanborn, J. Biek, D. Mathews, K. Cunningham, and M. Gantt



Beth Davis tees off



Tom Drouillard shows his skill playing out of the sand trap



Mike Smith puts for a birdie



Date Rector practices his putting before the match

SCOREBOARD		
DOW	TEAM	
171	Bridgman	164
171	Fennville	163
176	Constantine	171
177	Eau Claire	180
177	South Haven	164
192	Eau Claire	170
178	Lake Michigan Cath	179
CONFERENCE 7th out of 8		
REGIONAL 17th out of 23		

Right: Sophomore Todd Franklin shows intense concentration hitting off the tee



Young Team Shows Promise



Joe Miller watches his shot hit the green.



Bill Schilling prepares for an upcoming match.



FRONT ROW, L to R: M. Smith, R. Hunsberger, R. Taggart, B. Schilling, R. Schaus, J. Miller, T. Drouillard

STANDING: M. Clark, T. Franklin, M. Peterson, D. Rector, B. Middleton, G. Ropp

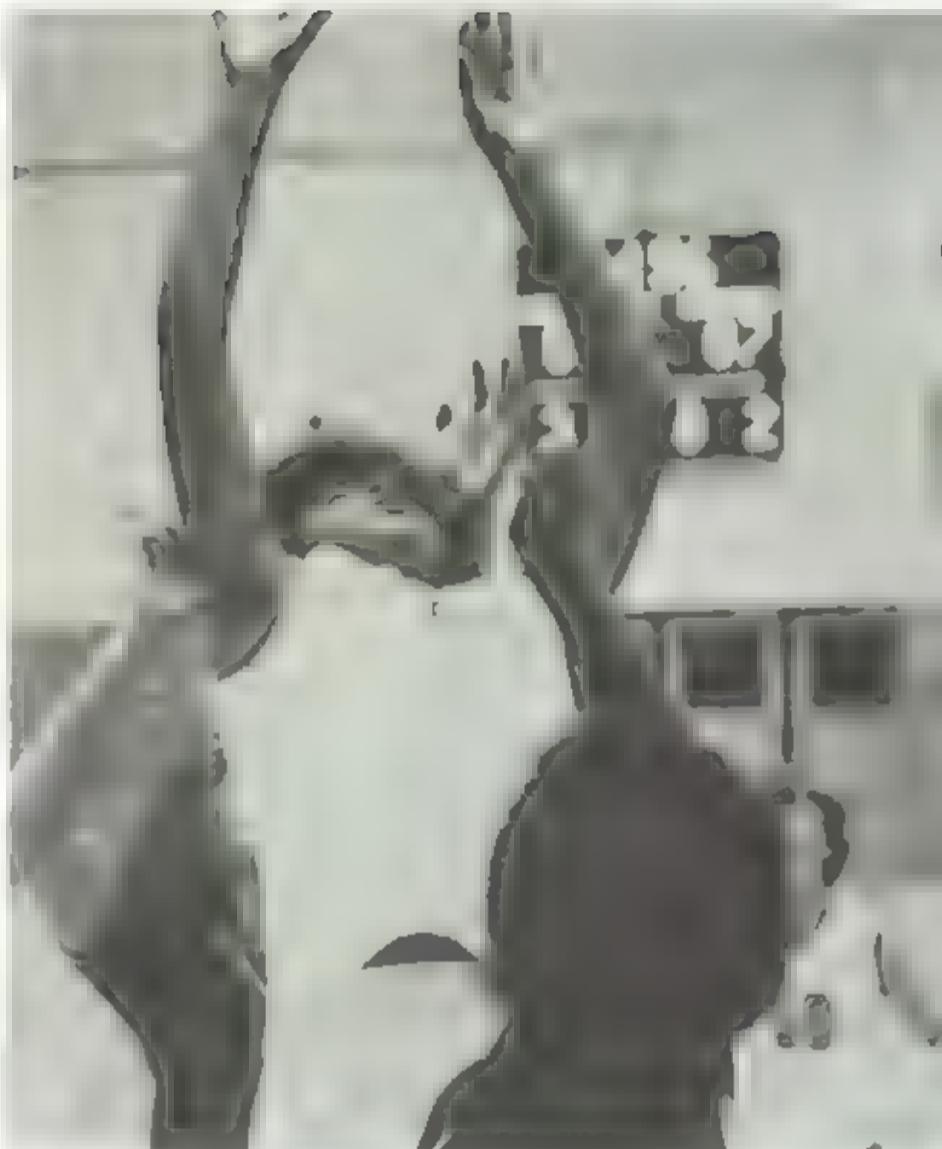
This year's golf team consisted of 17 members. Most of these had very little playing experience. Therefore, the team goal was to gain experience. The team won 2 of its last 4 matches to finish 7th in the league. They also finished 17th out of 23 in the regional. Todd Franklin was the #1 golfer all season. Seniors in the starting five were Tom Drouillard, Joe Miller, Dale Rector, and Mike Peterson. Everyone showed improvement over last year's average, and the experience gained will be beneficial in future years.

Girls Win District Title

The girls' varsity basketball team had a very successful season this year ending the season with a 17-5 overall record. Vicki Williams was named to the All Conference first team and received Honorable Mention All State. Cindy Steele received second team honors and Laurie Havel, Kathy Leitke, and Ola Houston received Honorable Mention.

This was a young team and they performed very well and handled a lot of pressure. We lost some close games early in the season, however by the end of the season we were winning the close ones which showed how much the girls matured. We will miss our two seniors next year, Ola Houston and Becky Johnson. Other members of the team are Juniors — Suzette Brown, Laurie Havel, Cynthia Jefferson, Bette McFerrin, Laura Rinderer, Cindy Steele, Vicki Williams, and manager Pat Douglas. Sophomores Kathy Leitke, Lisa Sutherland, Debby Scanlon, and Sue Waalkes were brought up from JV for the tournament games.

The girls were co-captained by Ola and Vicki and coached by Phyllis Cupp.



Senior Ola Houston gets one up!

SCOREBOARD

DOWAGIAC	OPPONENT	
58	PawPaw	17
31	Coloma	35
85	Decatur	47
47	Edwardsburg	18
62	Lakeshore	45
53	RiverValley	35
46	Marcellus	38
43	Brandywine	36
57	Buchanan	59
58	Cassopolis	60
54	Coloma	37
57	ThreeRivers	47
56	Edwardsburg	32
58	Lakeshore	45
51	RiverValley	31
53	Brandywine	37
33	Buchanan	34
46	Cassopolis	45
	DISTRICTS	
53	SouthHaven	50
47	Coloma	27
55	Lakeshore	51
	REGIONALS	
16	Coldwater	53
10 4 CONFERENCE 17 5 OVERALL		



Cindy Steele powers in for two.



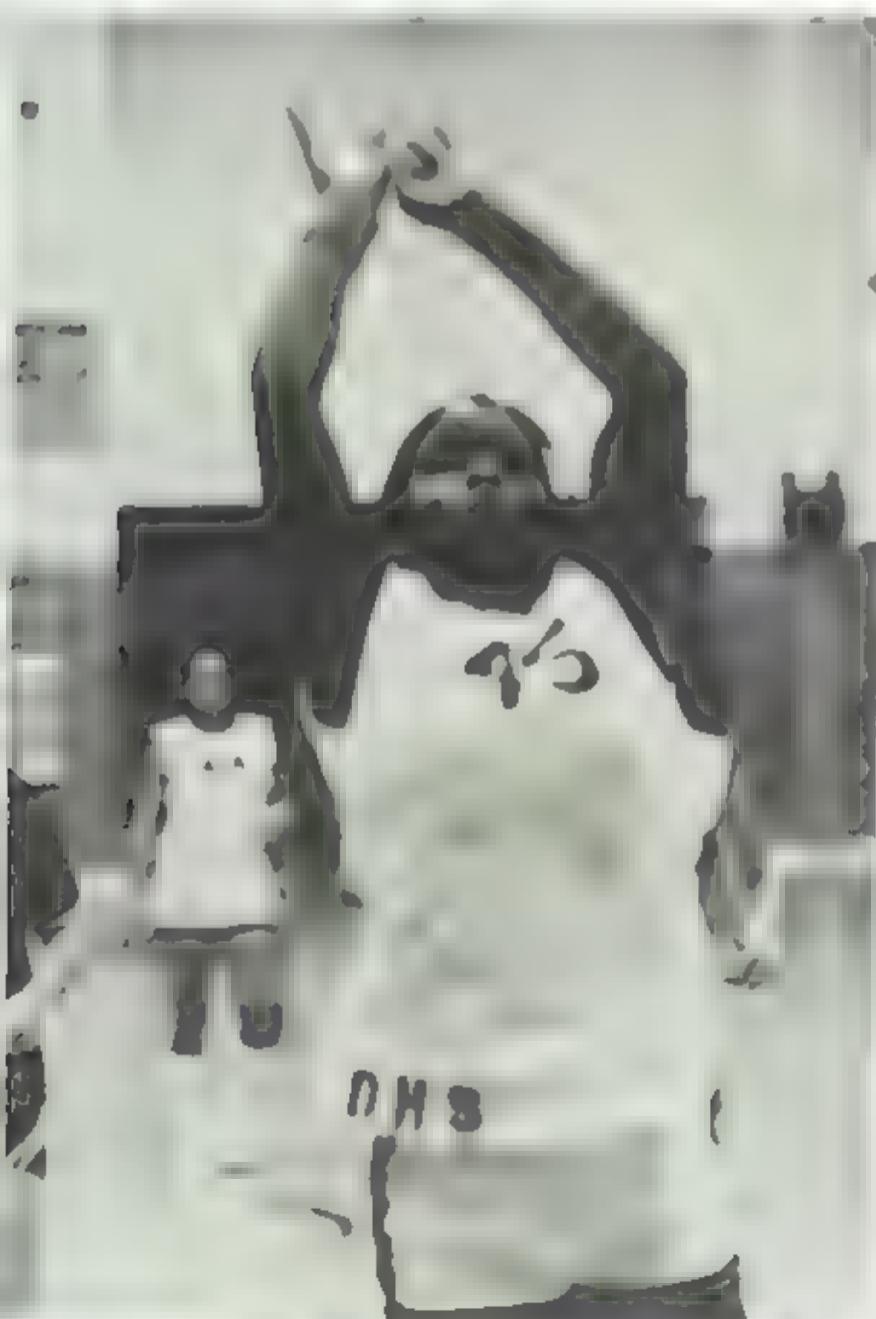
Sophomore Kathy Leitke scores over a Eddies defender.



Front Row, l. to r.: S. Brown, V. Williams, C. Steele, K. Leitke and C. Jefferson
Back Row, l. to r.: O. Houston, L. Have, Coach Jupp, B. McFerrin and L. Randerer



Rench takes a nice shot



A Conference on Iawa twinner v. K. W. JMS - as far as two



The 9-5s gather around Vick after she got hurt in the final seconds of the victory over Cass



Laurie skies over opponent in his jump



Ola and Laure are st. in getting part of it



The girls are excited after beating Cass



Kathy gets ready to run



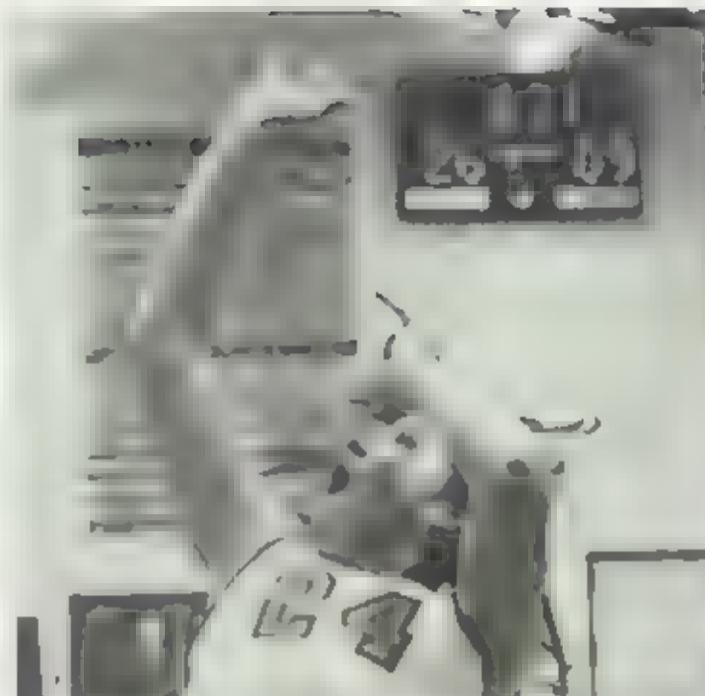
Vicki concentrates on this shot



Holly looks for an open man



Our prou f g. Is pose for their picture after winning their District Title



A Great Squad Will Return Next Year

Laura scores again



Laura gets up high



Coach Cupp gives the girls a bit of strategy



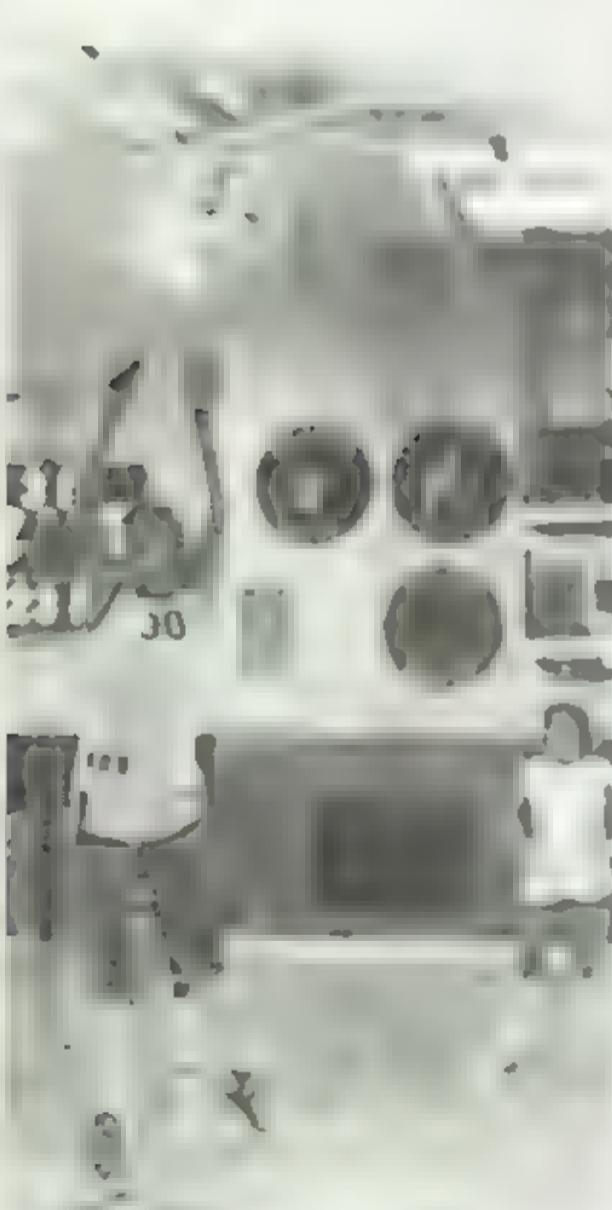
M. I. Wins girls basketball District Finals



The girls "whoop it up" after winning District

Hardworking Coach And Players Pull Out 8-10 Season.

Gathering for summer practice in mid-August, the J.V. Girls Basketball team had only one returning member, sophomore Lisa Sutherland. Although inexperienced and young, the girls team co-captained by Lisa and Debby Scanlon, pulled together for a split 7-7 conference tally and an 8-10 over-all record. Lisa Sutherland led all scoring with an average of eleven points per game, and was aided by a much improved and promising freshman Chris Dodd, in the girls' eighteen game schedule. Freshmen on the team were Chris Dodd, Shirley Dye, Pam Lovell, Karen Luke, Laurie Proshwitz, and Kathy Pugh. The three sophomores were Debby Scanlon, Lisa Sutherland, and Sue Waalkes. At the conclusion of the season 3 girls were moved up to Varsity for tournaments, gaining experience for next year.



Kathy Pugh lets one fly from the charity stripe



Sue and Deb block out for the rebound



Pam, Sue and Laurie all go for this rebound



Lisa takes a jumper from the corner while Laurie and Sue break for the rebound



Sue Waalkes controls opening game tip



The girls huddle up before the start of the game



Deb Scanlon looks on as Chris Dodd puts one up



FRONT ROW, l-r.: Proshwitz, K. Luke, C. Dodd, D. Scanlon and S. Dye
BACK ROW: K. Pugh, L. Sutherland, Coach Paradise, S. Waalkes and P. Lovell

SCOREBOARD

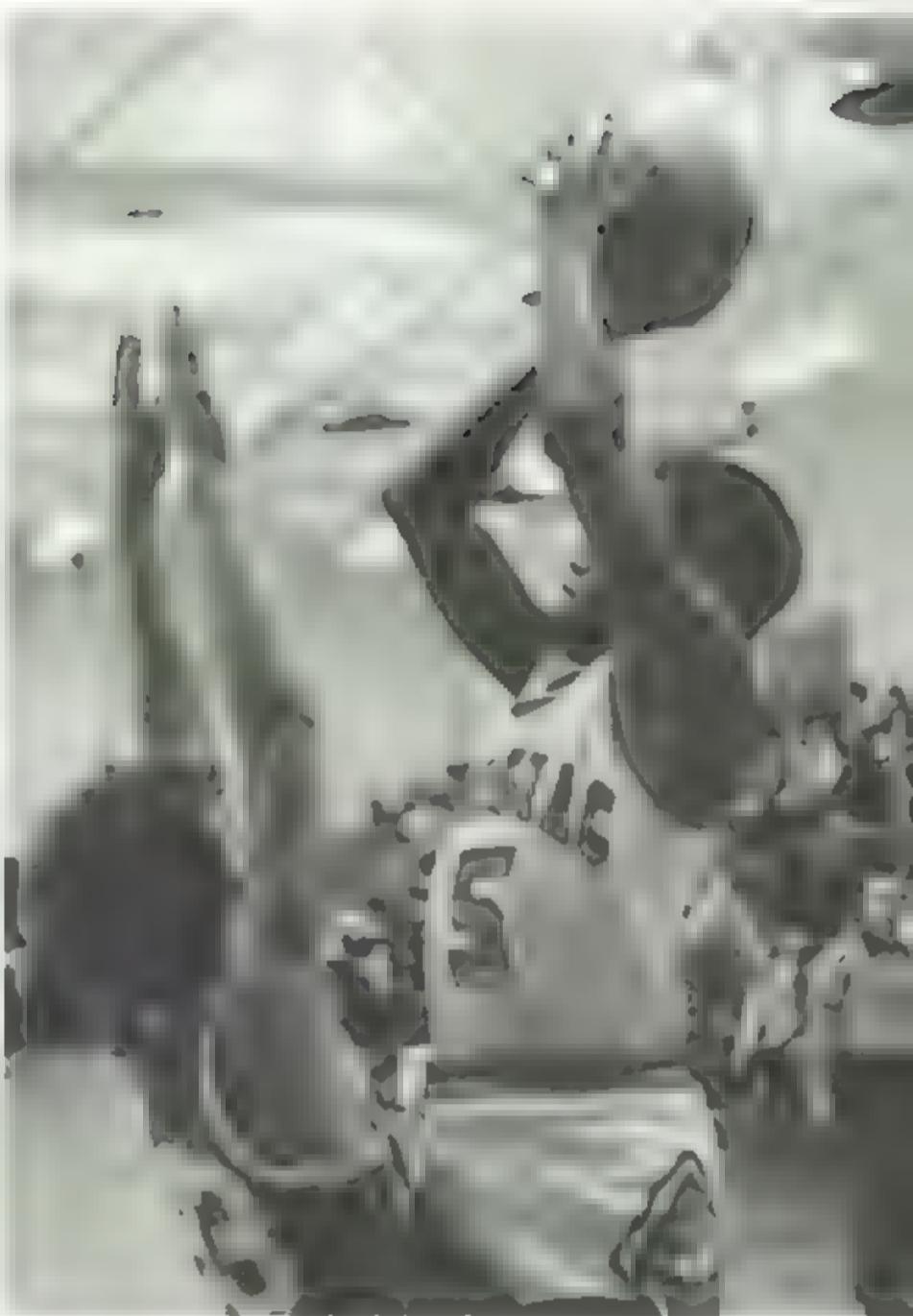
DOWAGIAC	OPPONENTS	
10	PawPaw	14
14	Coloma	12
21	Decatur	27
22	Edwardsburg	32
22	Lakeshore	29
20	River Valley	19
20	Marcellus	36
30	Brandywine	25
17	Buchanan	28
22	Cassopolis	32
34	Coloma	28
29	Three Rivers	24
16	Edwardsburg	27
17	Lakeshore	33
23	River Valley	16
24	Brandywine	23
31	Buchanan	19
22	Cassopolis	43

Conference: 7-7
Over-all: 8-10

Cagers In District Finals



Jim Waalkes lays it off the glass.



Bob Ward shows good form



FRONT ROW, L-r. Mgr. Jack Miller, Tony Stokes, Craig Morrow, Larry McLaughlin, Tim Winters, Mgr.

Mike Nate

BACK ROW, L-r. Coach Crandall, Jim Waalkes, Jeff Miller, Dan Weinman, Greg Smay, Jeff Nate, Cleveland Wilson



Senior guard Larry McLaughlin shoots with his smooth touch

Chiefs End Season Strong



Rodney Paine goes over this Lakeshore defender to shoot

SCOREBOARD

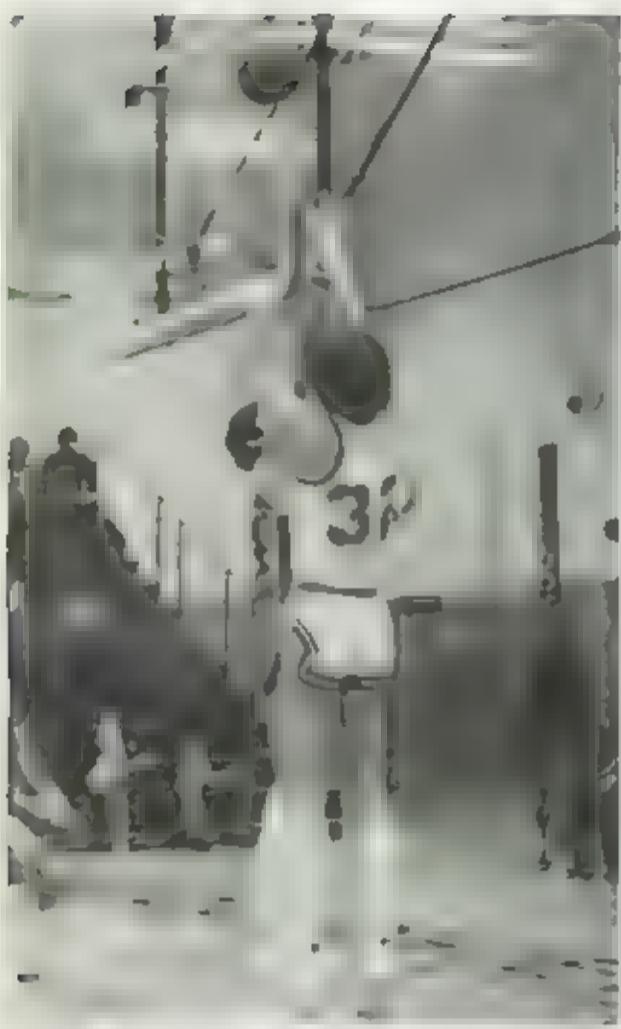
DOW 68	Eau Claire	
DOW 42	Coloma	43
DOW 64	Edwardsburg	74
DOW 58	Watervliet	54
DOW 63	River Valley	62
DOW 58	Brandywine	76
DOW 54	Lakeshore	66
DOW 69	Buchanan	71
DOW 61	Coloma	58
DOW 52	Cass	63
DOW 59	Niles	95
DOW 73	Edwardsburg	74 (OT)
DOW 48	River Valley	54
DOW 72	Brandywine	79
DOW 67	Buchanan	88
DOW 68	South Haven	57
DOW 65	Marcellus	62
DOW 56	Cass	72
DOW 56	Lakeshore	73
DOW 84	LMC	59
DOW 55	Lakeshore	50
DOW 50	St. Joe	72

Dan Weinman attempts one of his sure jump shots.

Lunging forward, Dan Weinman gets his shot off



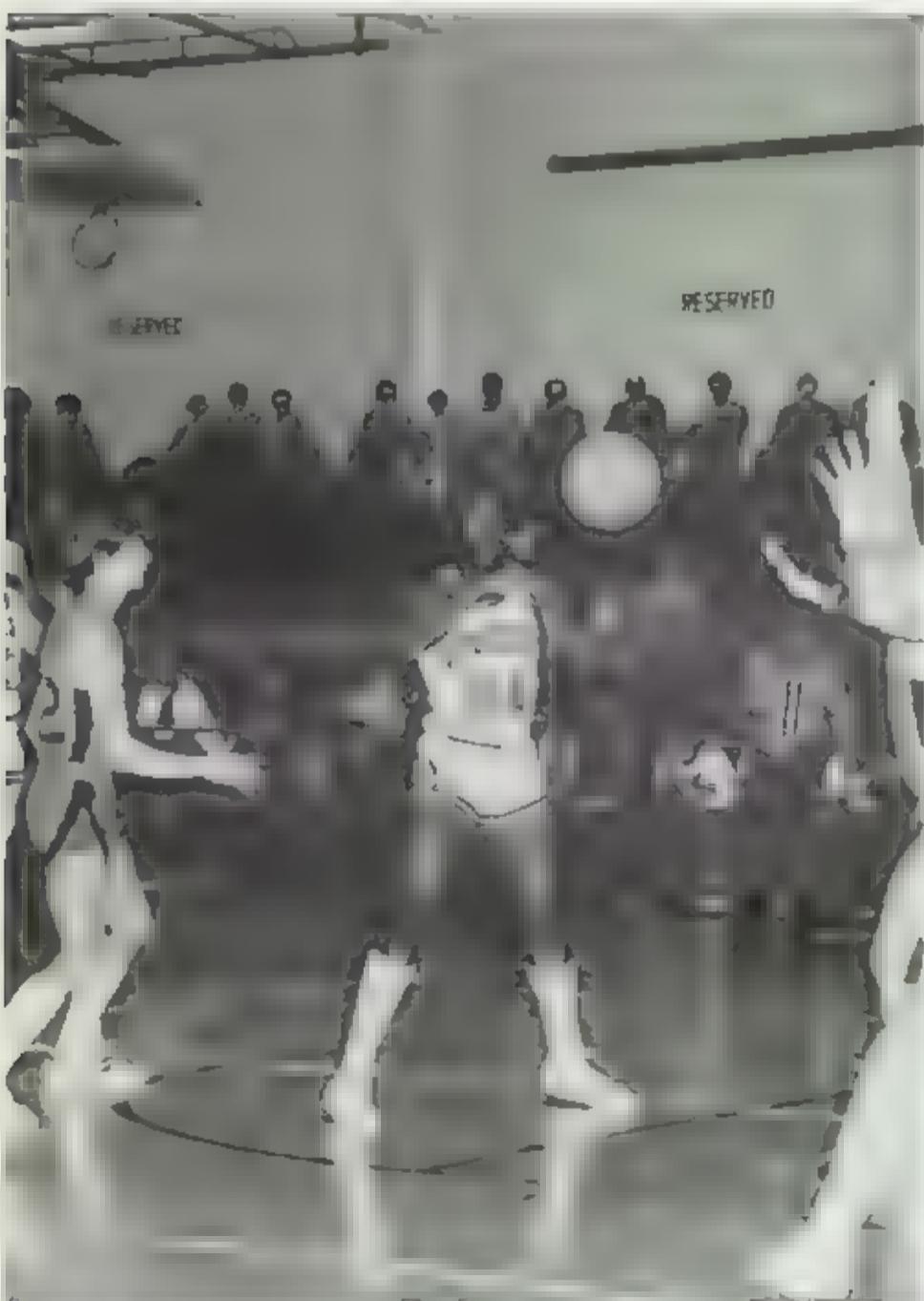
Rodney Paine goes up for the lay up



Greg Ismay shoots from the baseline



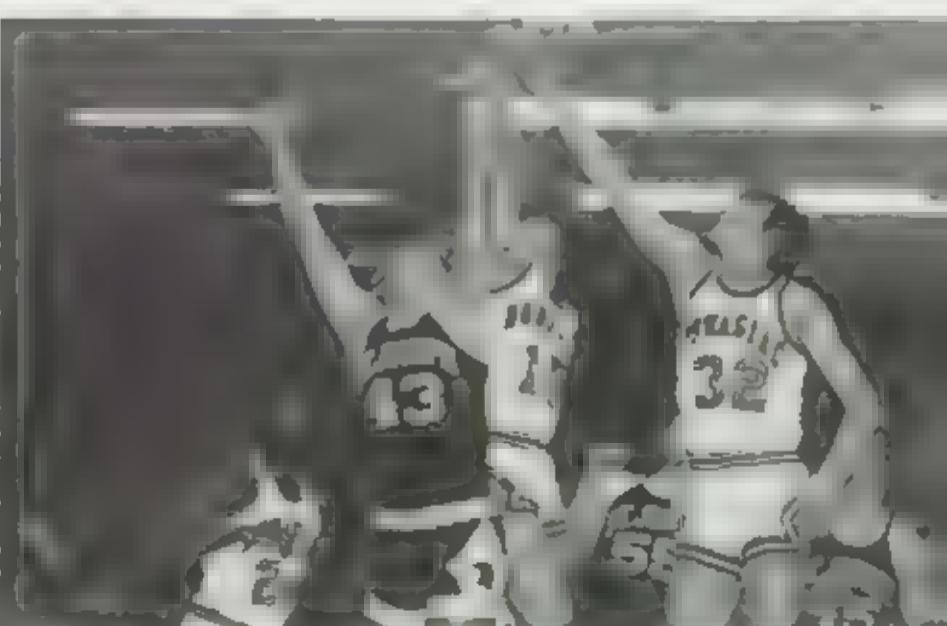
Dan Weinman shows some hustle



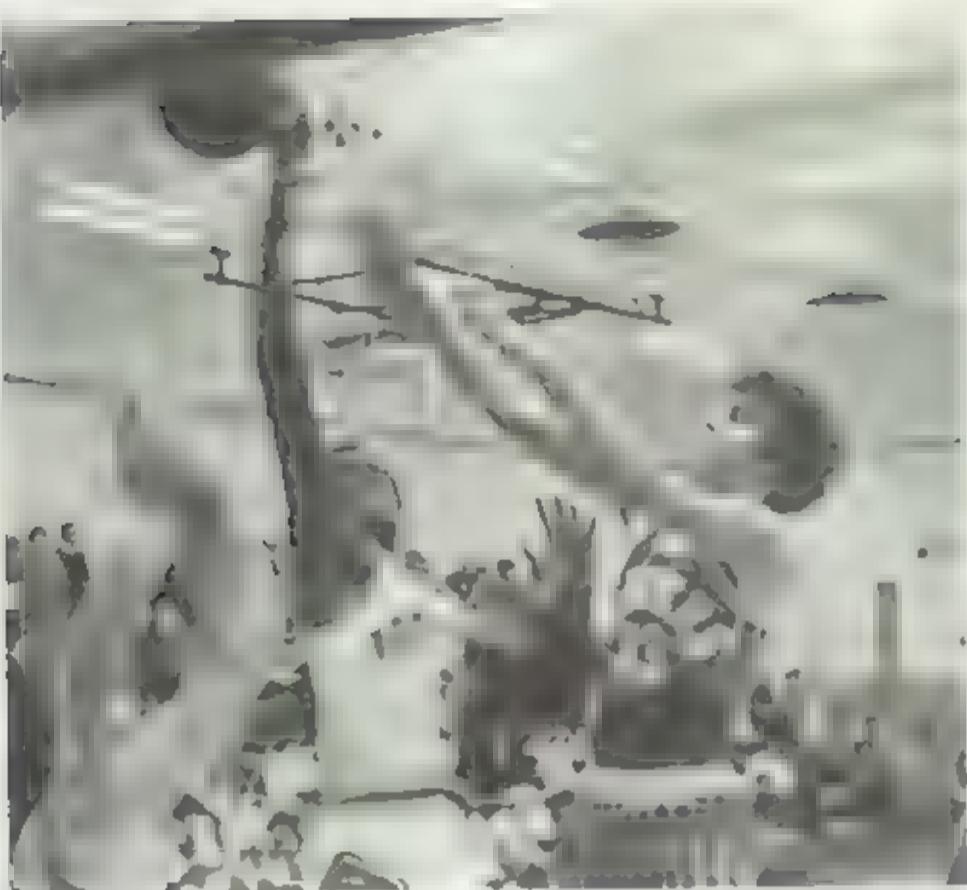
Cleveland Wilson keeps his eyes on the ball



Jim Waalkes tries for two



Dan Weinman and Greg Ismay work for the rebound



Bob Ward shoots while being off balance



A steady performer, Larry McLaughlin hits from the corner



Cleveland Wilson shoots from the charity stripe

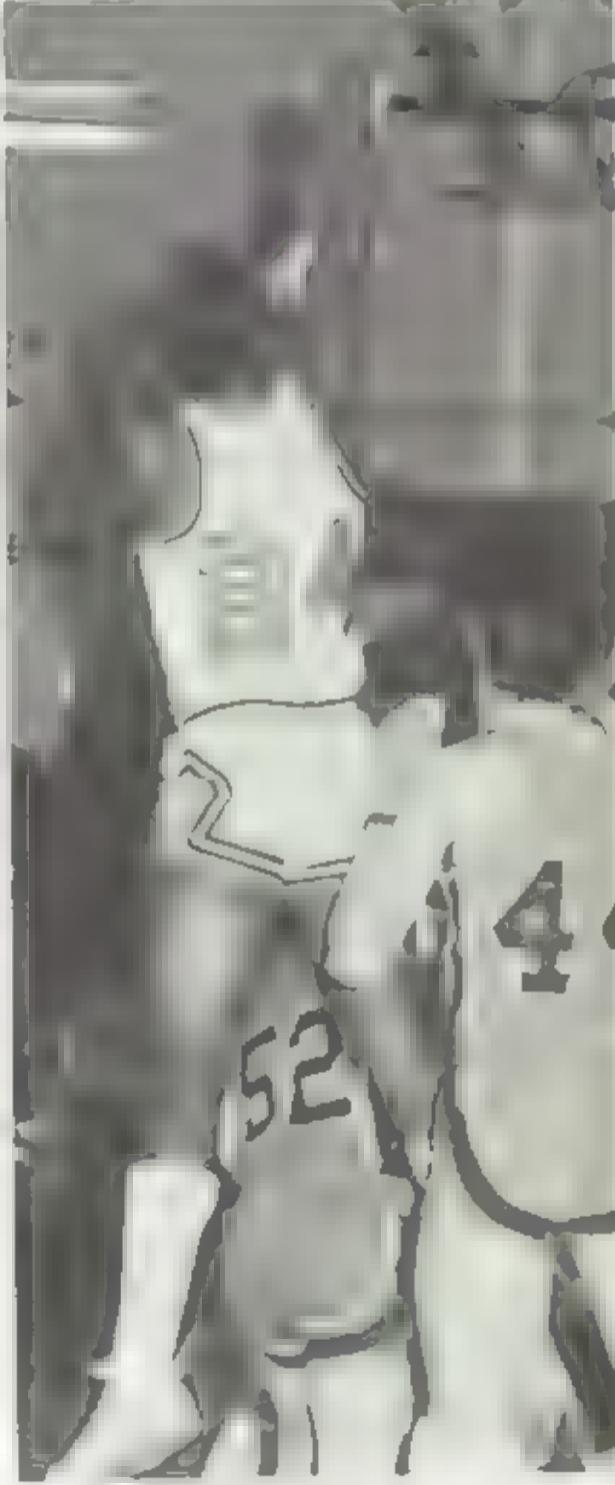
This season would certainly have to be classified as one of emotions, ranging from frustration to elation. The frustrations were experienced initially in the campaign when they suffered one point losses in each of our first two games. This may have been an indication of things to come. As the season progressed, they lost four games by a total of 5 points, climaxed by a 4 overtime loss to Edwardsburg. However, the season was not left in total despair as many exhilarating things also took place. They also won a very exciting game with a last second shot against a state ranked River Valley team 63-62. They defeated arch rival Lakeshore in the District Tournament 55-50 and advanced to the finals for the first time in five years.

A new group evolved this year calling them selves the "Bleacher Creatures." Their spirit and enthusiasm were unmatched at any game at home or on the road.

The building of the program made progress this year and next year should be continued with success.



Greg Ismay attempts a short jumper



Cleveland Wilson skies over everyone

J.V.'s Hang Tough



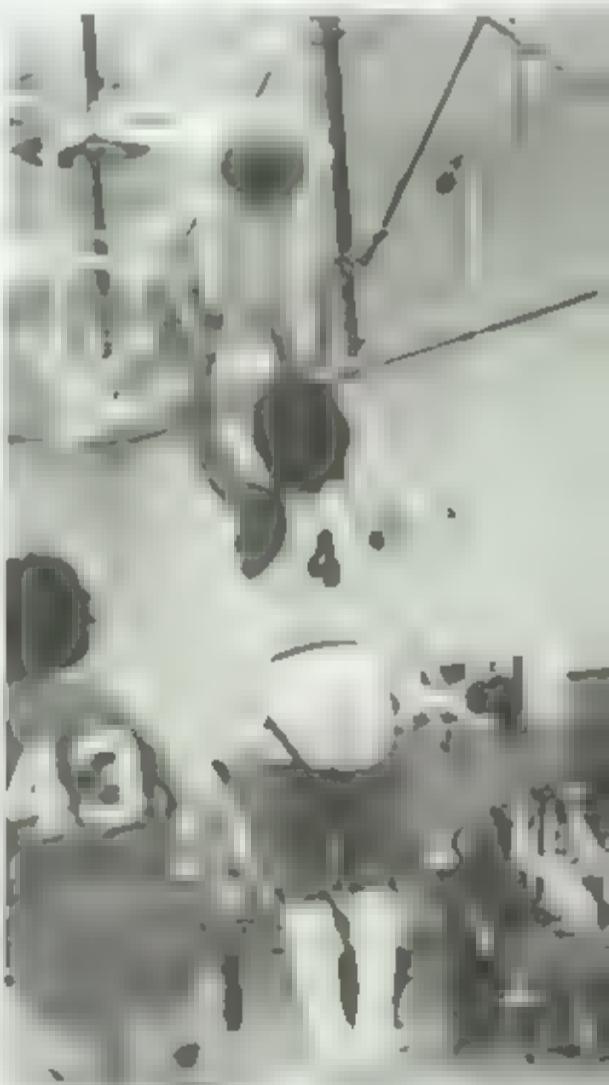
Tim Rucker holds his own on defense



Dan Dorgan puts up a fight for the Chiefs and



Dan Dorgan shows good form on this free throw



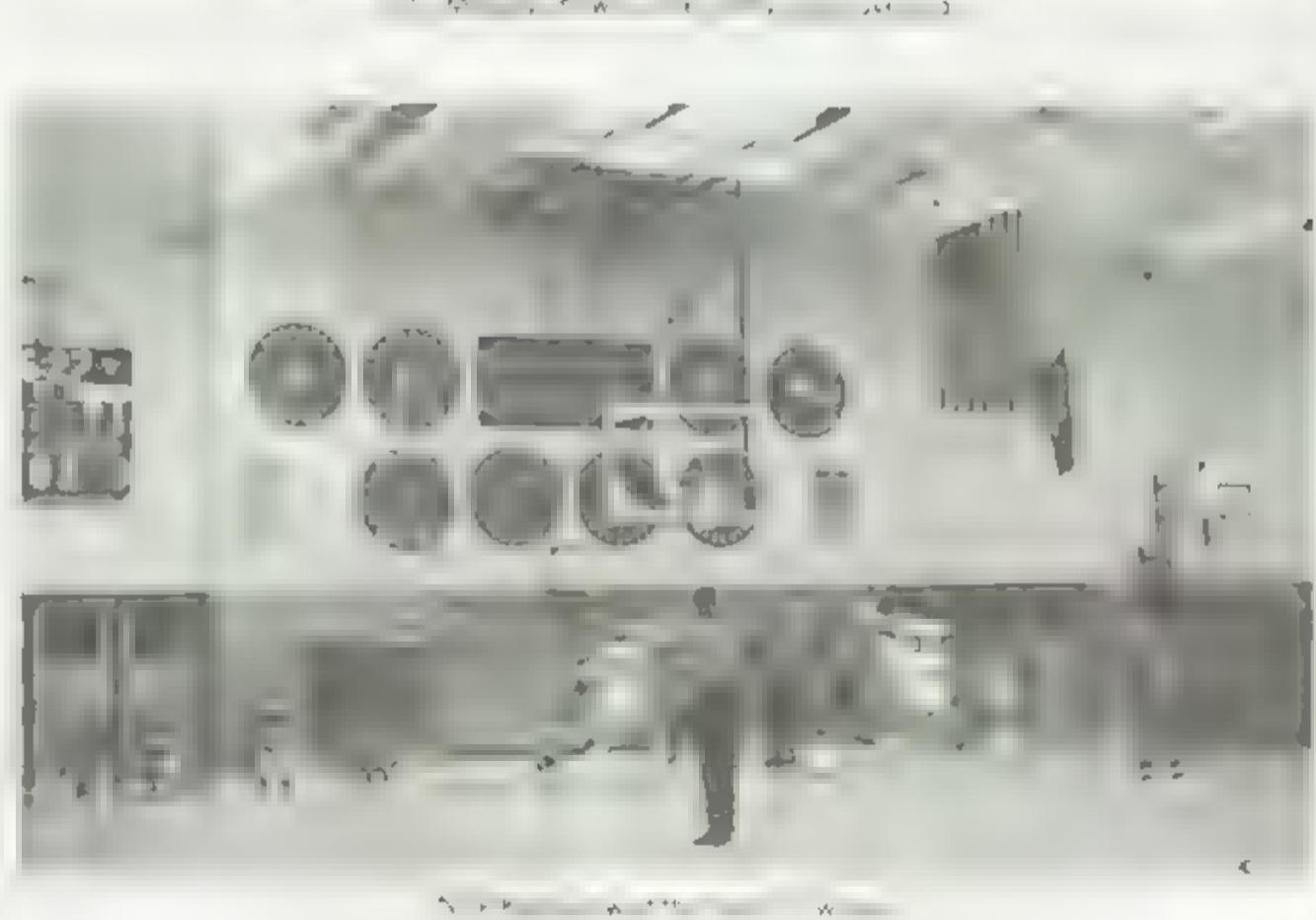
Derrick Jordan goes up high to get off this jump shot

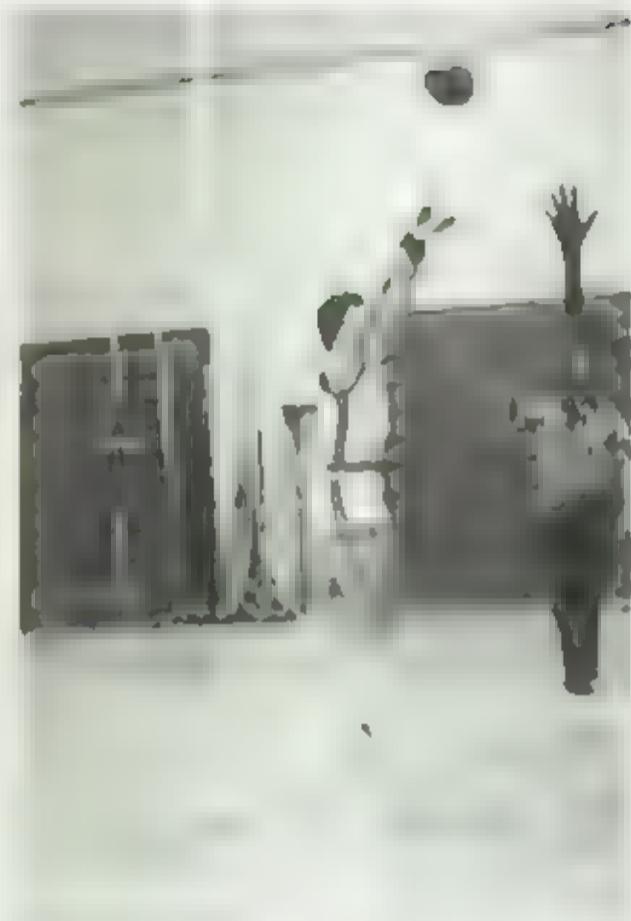


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Tony Garritano at the free throw line is as good as money in the bank.



Bill Migan eyes the bucket from the charity stripe



Barry Bower attempts a free throw



Eric Sell hangs tough.



Duane Wolverton brings the ball across the court

Fresh Have Fine Record



Tonny Garritano puts in this base line shot



Andy Casey shoots from the top of the key

SCOREBOARD		
Dow	77	Coloma
Dow	63	Ring Lardner
Dow	69	Edwardsburg
Dow	66	Lakeshore
Dow	73	River Valley
Dow	62	Brandywine
Dow	61	Hartford
Dow	81	Marcellus
Dow	66	Buchanan
Dow	57	Coloma
Dow	56	Class
Dow	62	Edwardsburg
Dow	69	Ring Lardner
Dow	48	Lakeshore
Dow	53	Brandywine
Dow	46	Ballard
Dow	81	Buchanan
Dow	52	Hartford
Dow	48	Class
Dow	54	River Valley
		(OT)

The Freshman Basketball team had a fine record of 13 wins and 7 losses. Of the seven losses, 1 was in overtime, 2 were by one point, and 1 by two points. There were no losses by more than 10 points.

The Freshmen played exciting fast-break basketball. There is a lot of talent on the team and the players work well together. It is a group that should win a lot of ball games for Dowagiac in the future. Dan Dorgan and Derrick Jordan were moved up to J.V. near the end of the season. Next year is anticipated with future success.



FRONT ROW, l to r: R. Ferrier, B. Ostrowski, C. Phillipson, B. Willis, S. Taylor, D. Jordan, A. Cosey, D. Wolverton

BACK ROW, l to r: Coach Pasternak, T. Lecarczyk, C. Szymczak, B. Bower, D. Dorgan, T. Garritano, E. Sell, B. Milligan, T. Petro

Cheerleaders



On to victory



Now do go left or right?



FRESHMAN CHEERLEADERS FRONT ROW: V. James, E. Wyont, T. Winans, T. Todd
SECOND ROW: B. Kalz, S. Toy, S. Wiltse, J. Nate



J.V. CHEERLEADERS A. Wilson, D. Stover, L. Bentz, G. Steele, D. Stover, S. Froehlich, N. Gwilt, M. McKay



VARSITY CHEERLEADERS S. Bryant, B. Wolfe, S. Stoops, L. Ganger, L. Hippensteel, B. Springsteen, D. Cylke, D. Steele

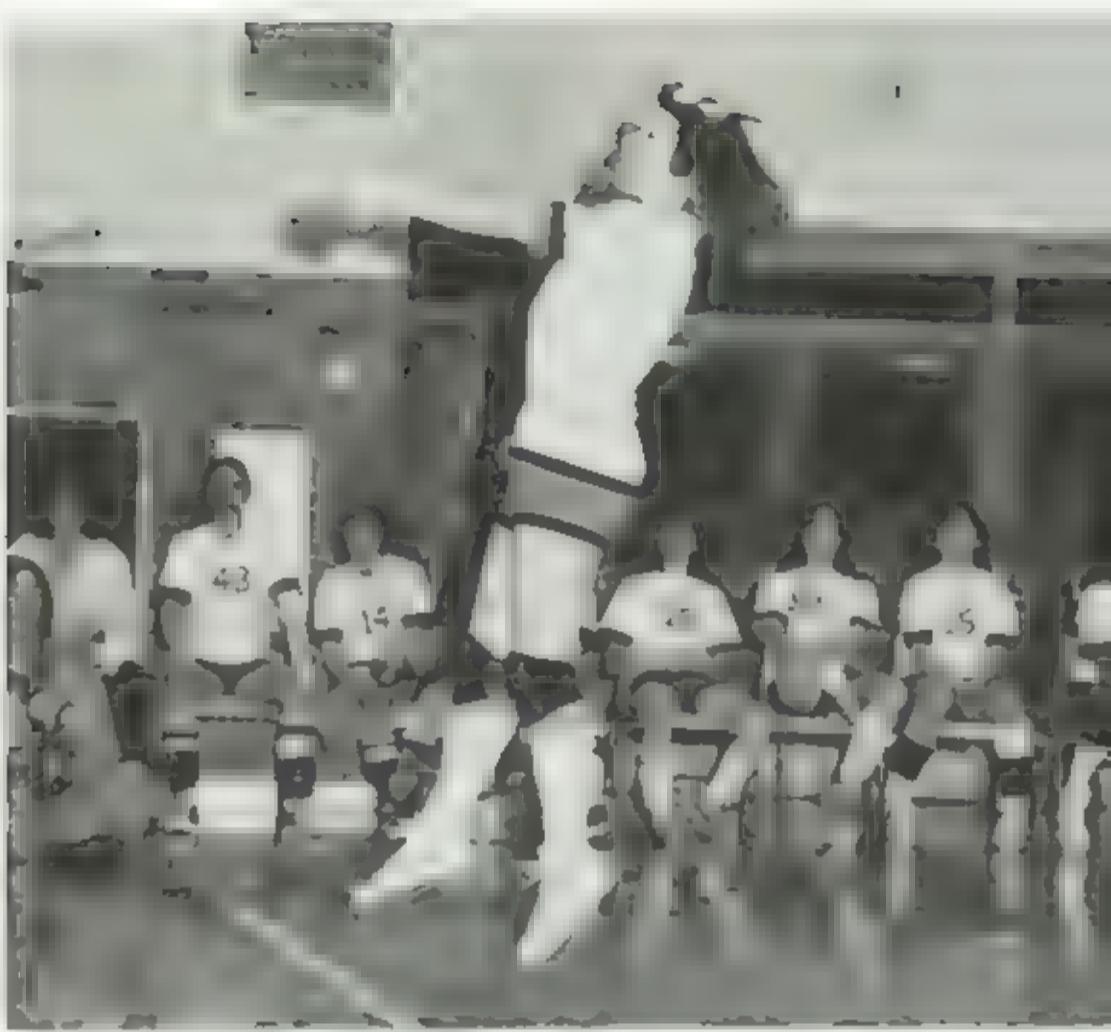


Seniors - Homecoming



Football Game

Varsity Volleyball



Volleyball Award winner, Sue Stoops shows a fine bump here



Vicki Williams hard serves got us a lot of points



Even Dora Clarke gets up for the spike



AIC conference winner Laurene Havens skies in this serve



Sister Mary Heiligenbauer, who will be 60



Dianna Schramm, 19, of the girls'



Butch, the dog, up to the spike



Eden, 19, up stage for the dunk when she prepares for the dunk



KNEELING: L. Havel, C. Stover, K. Lethco, S. Stover, M. H. STANDING: R. Stover, L. Havel, D. Stover, and L. Rindner

Most Of Squad Returns



Julie saves me in the back row



Gail played Varsity too



Kathy has gone back to her



Connie does the new with the other girls



Mary sneaks into the room



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J.V. Volleyball



Theresa Fittren returns a hard serve



Laurie Heritz puts everything she has in to the serve



First year coach Karen Miller



Gail Steele, JV Volleyball award winner, is always in a ready position



Bump, Set and Spike!



During a line-up before the start of the match



Theresa and Sue Watt receive the bump from Sue Winkles



Tammy Arnold bump sets up to the front row



Karen Lake bump sets up to a setter



Leslie Proshwitz bump sets up to a setter. Mary Ellen set for the spike



Carolyn Clegg makes a sharp serve over the net

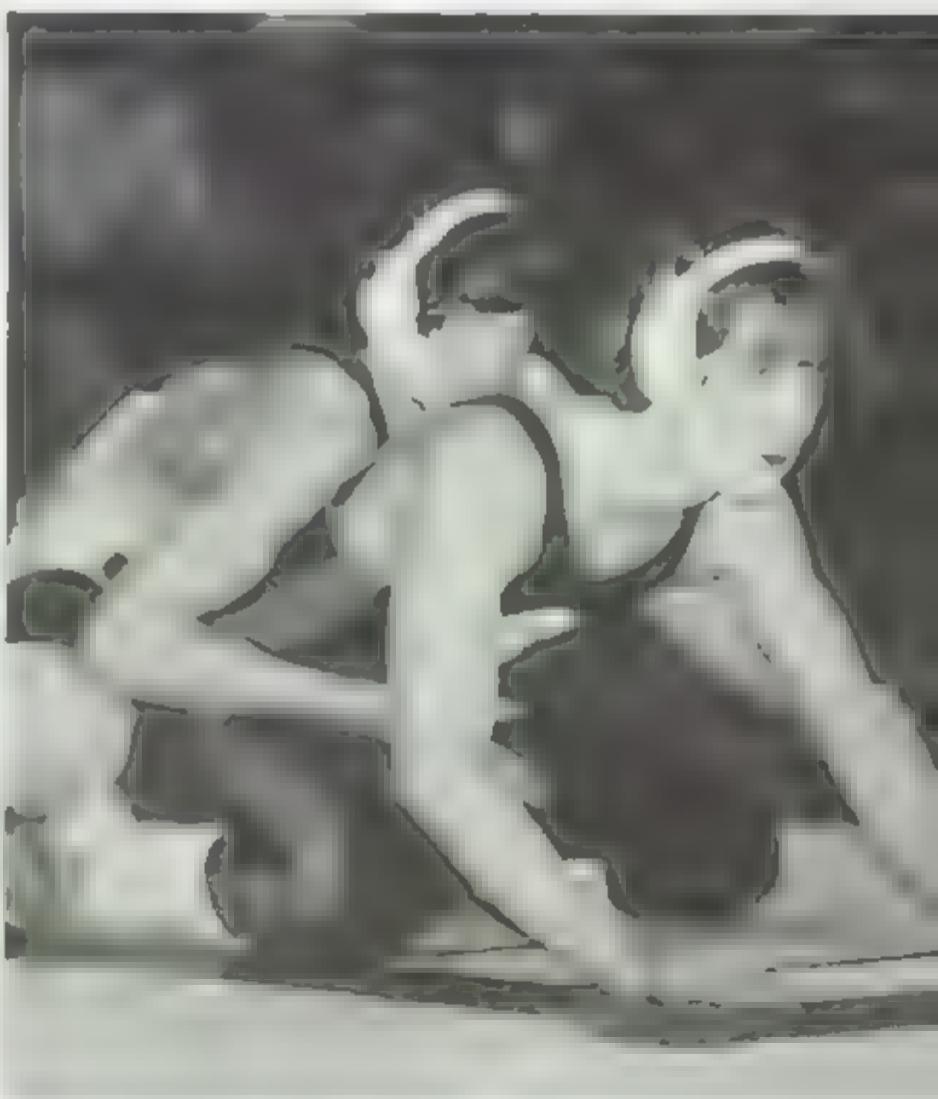
Chief's 3rd In Badland



Tom Puett wrestles a bull in a rodeo.



Tom Drury thinks about his next move.



Bradley 'the Chief' Clegg shows the world his skills.



Dan Kelly shows his skills.



Confer et hamp n. Tex Miller attempts a reversal



Jim Kurdelmeyer handles his man



FIRST YEAR FRONT ROW, l to r: G Ferrier, A. Gadeski, K. Moore, S. Pugh, B. Ironsides, S. Bennett
BACK ROW, l to r: D. Herter, J. Garrelts, T. Frye, B. Fowler, K. Rucker, J. Kimmey

J. V. SCOREBOARD (dual meets only)			
Dow	35	Portage Central	15
Dow	45	Coloma	19
Dow	30	Bridgeman	3
Dow	12	Lakeshore	36
Dow	42	St. Joe	18
Dow	63	River Valley	0
Dow	39	Brandywine	24
Dow	36	Niles	24
Dow	30	Buchanan	36
Dow	33	Edwardsburg	13
Dow	63	Constantine	12
Record 9-2			



J. V. LETTERWINNERS FRONT ROW, l to r: R. Myers, J. Judd, E. Turner, T. Sayer, J. Bauer, T. Ziemke
BACK ROW, l to r: D. Billingsley, C. Wall, T. Melvin, L. Litherland, K. Whiteoak, S. Diehl, B. Fifer, S. Crawley

The Varsity Reserves besides providing the Varsity with some very capable replacements, also continued to improve and enjoyed a fine season. Their record was nine wins and only two losses. The team outscored its opponents 436 to 176 in dual meets. This included victories over Bridgeman (30-3), River Valley (60-0), and Constantine (62-12). This outstanding team will someday in the near future prove to be winners on the varsity level.



Tom Drouillard awaits the referee's whistle



Tom Kurdekmeyer in action at Districts



In his final high school match, Joe Miller defeats his Cass opponent



Todd Melvin handles his man



Larry Wilson works on a reversal.



FRONT ROW, 1 to r: T. Drouillard, J. Kurdekmeyer, C. Erhardt, D. Key, S. Fano, an
BACK ROW, 1 to r: J. Miller, R. Greer, J. Frazer, M. Peterson

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Lewis Pleased With Success



Stan Crawley ties up with his opponent



Mark Cravens in action against River Valley

Two more points for Sean Flanagan



Dave Drouillard works on an escape

The varsity wrestling team placed third in the Blossomland Conference. The dual meet record was eight wins and seven losses. Three of the losses were by a total of ten points. The team captured first place in the South Haven Invitational and second place in the Conference tournament. Joe Miller was the conference champion at 112 pounds. Sean Flanagan, Tom Drouillard, Joe Frazier, and John Bournay were runners up. Joe Frazier and Tom Drouillard were also Regional qualifiers. Even though the team will lose seven seniors through graduation, the chances for a more successful season are good because of ten returning lettermen.

Senior tri captains Joe Miller, Tom Drouillard, and Jim Kurdelmeyer, carried the Chiefs all year







Just another win for Smokin' Joe Frazier



Joe Miller leads the varsity team out



Sean Flanagan shows the fans his crafty moves.



Sean Flanagan works on his feet!

Var. Takes 2nd At Conf. Meet

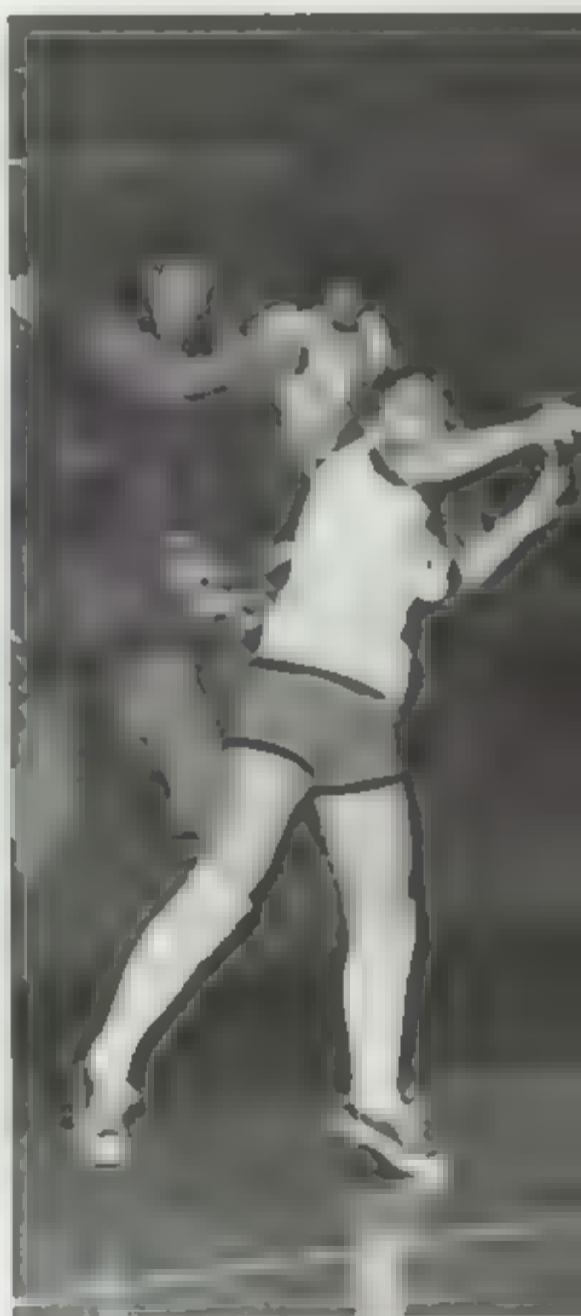


Todd Melvin prepares to shoot in for a take down

VAR SCOREBOARD

Var	Score	Team
W	15	Portage Central
W	22	Coloma
W	44	Bridgeman
W	24	Lakeshore
W	18	S B St. Joe
W	17	S B Adams
W	42	Benton Harbor
W	33	St. Joseph
W	59	River Valley
W	25	Brandywine
W	37	Niles
W	30	Buchanan
W	26	Edwardsburg
W	46	Constantine
W	35	Cassopolis

Sports Candids





Track



Kirk Pr. now to m. + 1 w the st. o. 700 m.



Re, Rush ws. h w 1.700 m.



Re, Kirk pr. 1.700 m.



Re, Rush ws. 1.700 m.



Ken Rayford prepares for another jump



Roger Behnke exhibits good form



Jack Miller takes a "victory" lap



Mark Rudder lands safely



Wil Bolton kids around before his event

Men's Track



SITTING, l to r: J Bacon, B Short, M Gantt, B Dowsett, R Behnke

KNEELING, l to r: K Rayford, M Rudder, M Burdick, T Pugh, D Lott, J Biek, S Pugh, B Bower, B Hartline

STANDING, l to r: W Bixler, Coach S, Jim M, T Snider, K Preshaw, C Wad, S Lee, B Ladd, J Arndt, M Moroz, C Morrow, T Coffey, G Lee, Coach V Johnson, J Miller



Seniors Mike Gantt and Jim Miller race on the track.

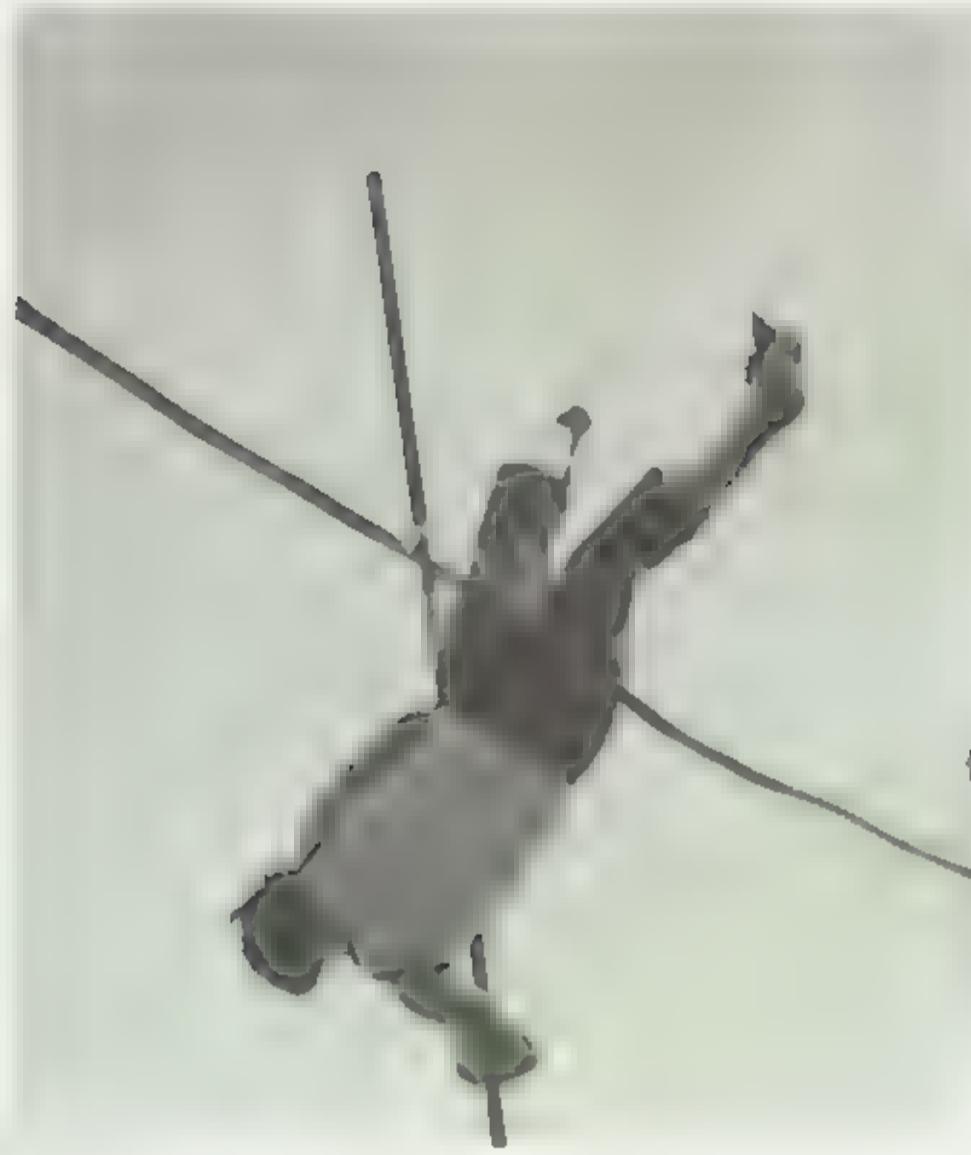


Barry Bower gets out of the blocks quickly



Mark Rudder and Will Bolten make the pass

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Jim Kurdeimeyer clears the bar



Mike Rutherford clears the bar



Brian Hodges gets up as Tom Pugh looks on



Tom Pugh clears the bar

Tracksters Finish 2nd In Conference

The women's track team finished second in the Blossom land Conference for the third straight time. After losing the first two dual meets by a total of 24 points, the team won the last five. The season was highlighted by many record setting performances. They were D. Stover, 36'2" (in shotput), R. Gulyas 17'7" (long jump), B. Johnson 2:33.9 in $\frac{1}{2}$ mile run and 25'6"7 (220 yd. dash), A. Roland 59.9 (440 yd. dash), B. Johnson, E. Dye, G. Steele and V. Williams 50'8 (in 440 yd dash), and R. Gulyas, P. Mead, L. Mosher and A. Roland 4:14.7 (mile relay). B. Johnson also placed eighth in 220 at the Class B final meet. Roland and Stover were regional champions. Conference champions were Gulyas (long jump), Johnson (220 yd. dash), Roland (440 run), Johnson, Dye, Gulyas, Williams (880 yd.), Johnson, Dye, Steele, and Williams (440-dash), and Gulyas, Mead, Roland and Mosher (mile relay). They were Co-captained by Eileen Dye and Becky Johnson. They were coached by John Lewis and Emily Comstock



Rita Gulyas in her All Conference record jump



These girls are all smiles about track!



Coach Lewis has done an excellent job training his girls



Kathy Gulliver approaches the finish line in the 110-low hurdles



Angela Roland flies herself up and over the crossbar



The Dowagiac tracksters hang together



FRONT ROW, l to r S McMeeken M McKay T Obren R Gulyas L Arntz K Gulliver C McGrew D Stover O Houston B Johnson E Dye V Williams G Steele, and D Smith
BACK ROW, l to r Mgr P Douglas N Mangus V James L Proshwitz C Bonne P Mead L Mosher S Hills S Waakes L Sutherland A Roland J Lawrence S Stamp, and K Kasper



Lisa Arntz keeps up a steady pace



Sue Weakes with her best jump 1.5



Vickie and Rita with a perfect exchange



Gail Steele — in the act of flying

Set Many New Records



Becky and Eileen in the exchange zone



Becky with a good leap



Becky starts her winds up



and lets it fly

Hagen's Crew Conf. Champs



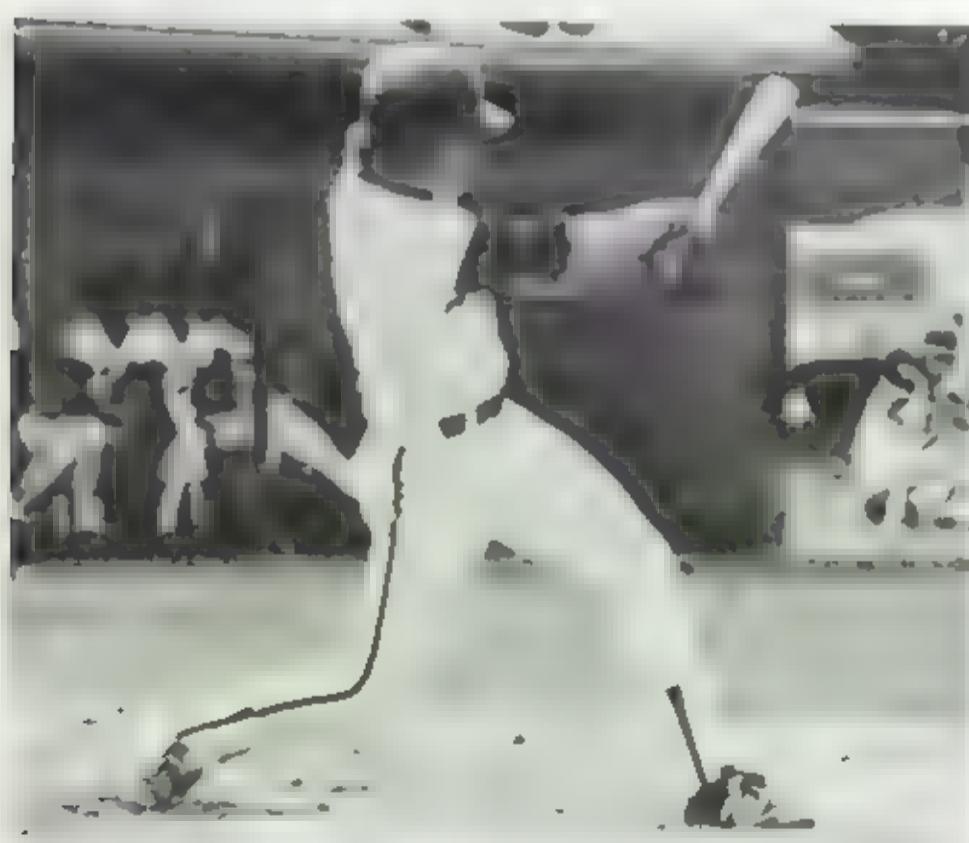
Mike Smith gets the sign from Coach Hagen



Larry McLaughlin, eyes the pitch.



Jim Waalkes checks the runner



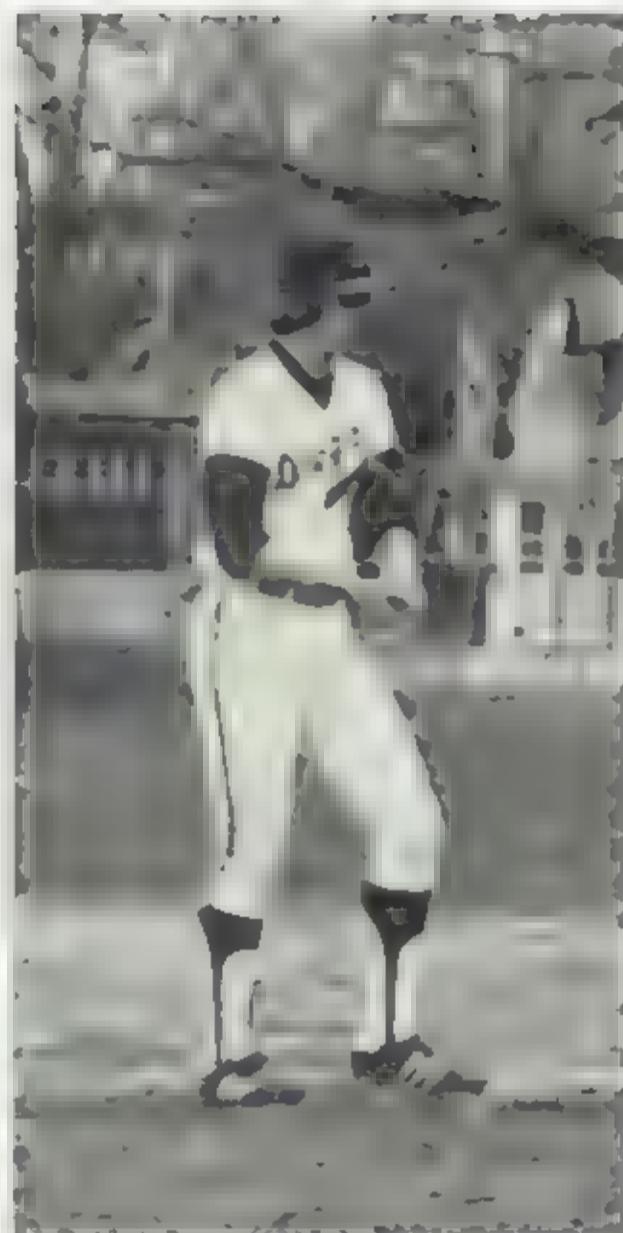
Kurt Cox shows his space rocket techniques.



Quent Mulder makes the throw to first



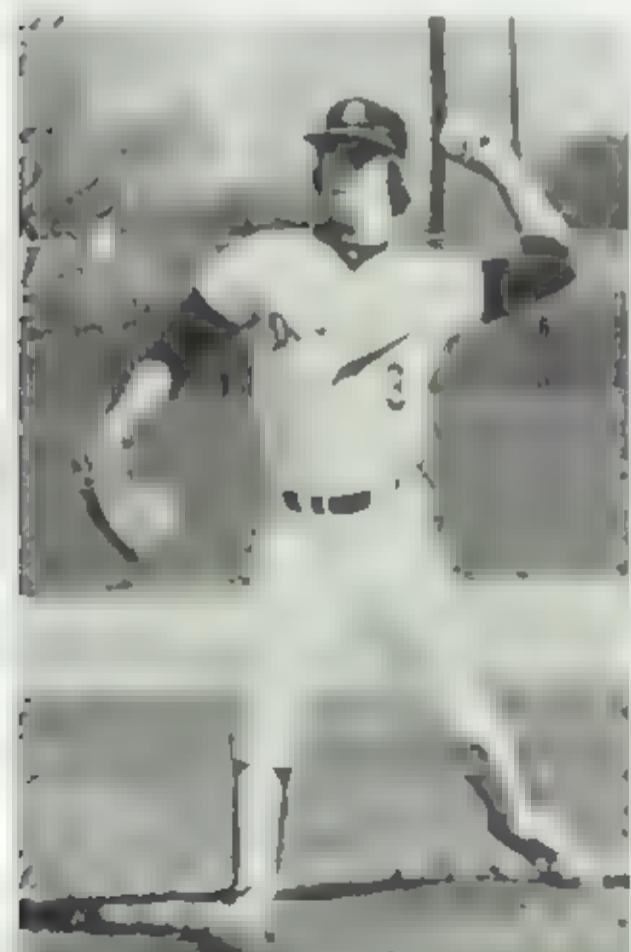
Jim Waalkes lets one rip



Jeff Mullen awaits the action.



Designated hitter, Mike Nate, takes a cut



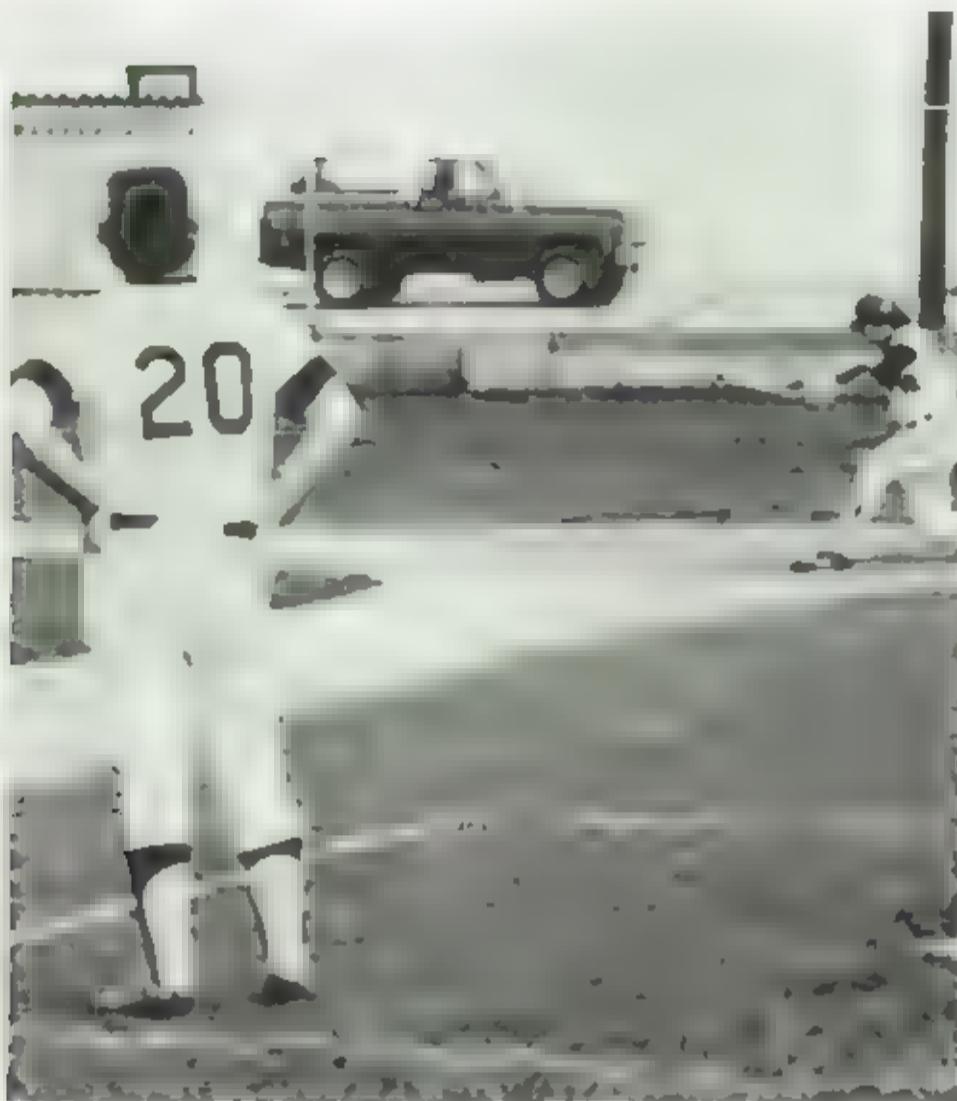
All slater, Larry McLaughlin, sports a fearful pose to enemy batters



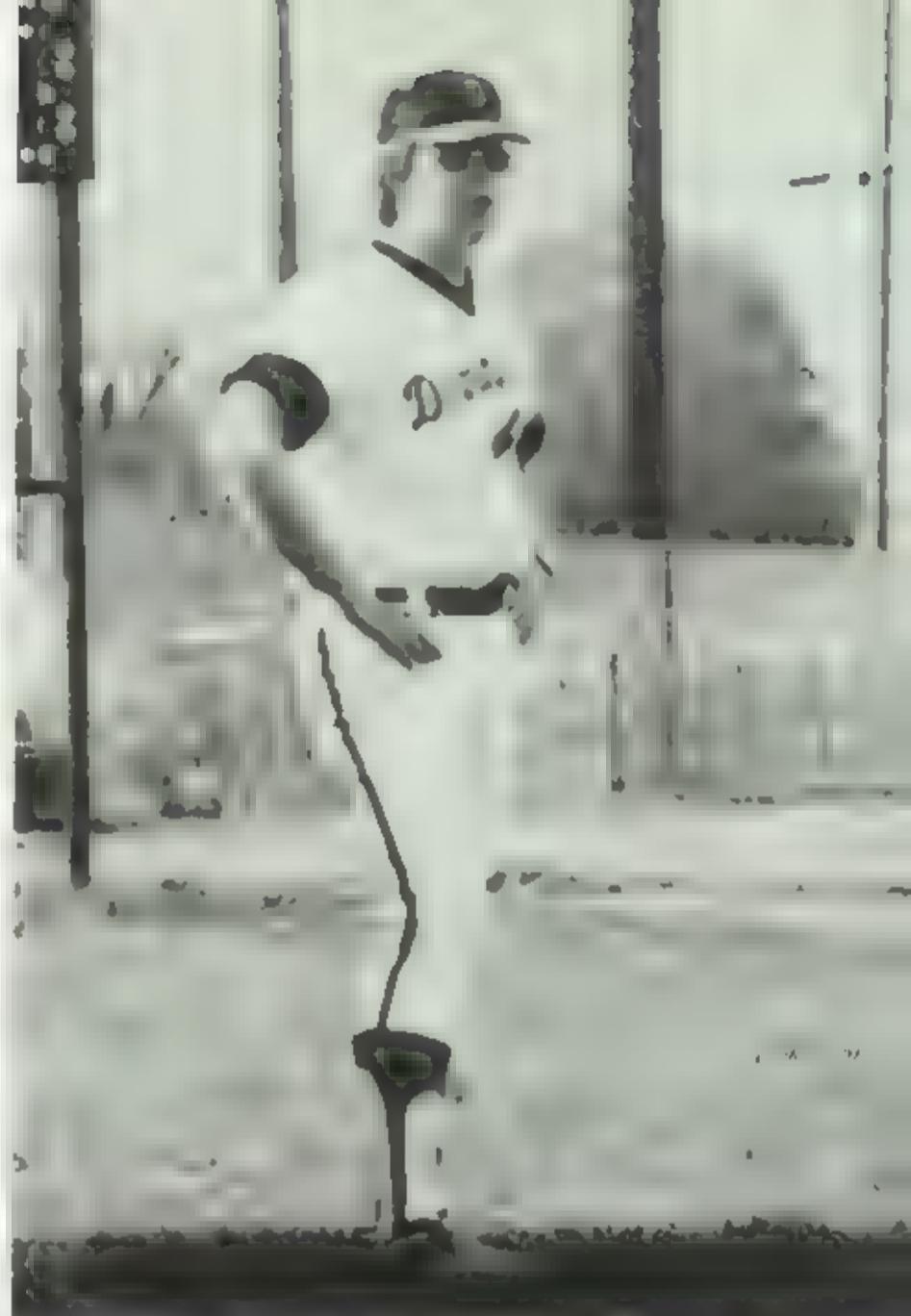
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BACK ROW, l to r: Coach Hagen, Mgr. D. Harlan, T. Stuppy, F. Bourney, T. Wilson, B. Jewell, J. Mullen, Q. Muder, M. Nate, D. Weinman, Asst. Coach H. Johnson

Var. District Champs



Fred Bourne takes a cut as Coach Hagen looks on



Coach of the Year - Dean Hagen looks over the situation



Larry McLaughlin camps under this fly ball



Always hustling, Jeff Nate legs it to third



Jeff Nate lets this one pass

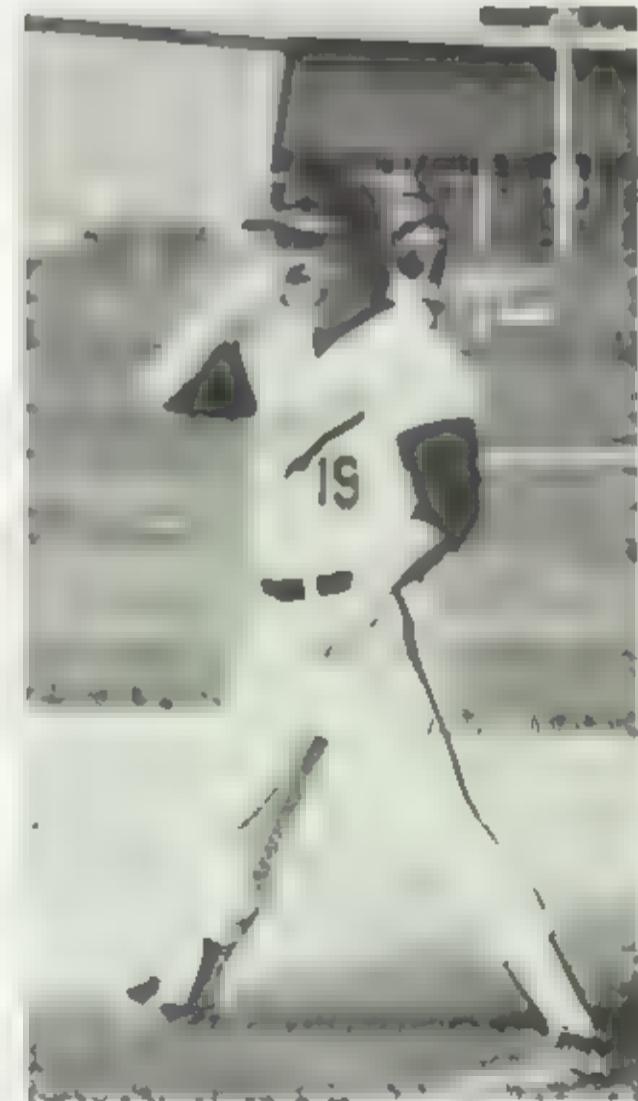


Senior speedster, Dan Weinman checks out this fastball



Jeff Nate brings home another run

The 1978 Varsity Baseball team finished the season with a most impressive 24-3-11 record. The team won the Blossomland Conference Championship with a 7-0-1 record. Coach Dean Hagen was elected by the Michigan High School Baseball Coach's Association as the Coach of the Year. Senior lefty Larry McLaughlin was voted the best pitcher in the state also by the M H S B C A. Dowagiac was respected in all conference selections as Dan Weinman, Jeff Nate, and McLaughlin were named to the first team. Dowagiac was once ranked number two in the state, but finished in the number six position after losing to Otsego in Regional Play.



Asst. coach, Gary Johnson talks it up at first base

Young Team Produces Future Prospects



Mr. Stemas ponders the situation



Greg Ismay takes a mighty cut.



Mike Cook scores another Chieftain run



Tim Sayer readies himself



Dave Drouillard digs in at the plate

SCOREBOARD		
Dow	11	Coloma
Dow	5	Parchment
Dow	2	Parchment
Dow	5	Edwardsburg
Dow	3	Lakeshore
Dow	1	Buchanan
Dow	8	Buchanan
Dow	2	Eau Claire
Dow	10	Cass
Dow	3	Coloma
Dow	6	Brandywine
Dow	8	Edwardsburg
Dow	0	Lakeshore
Dow	18	River Valley
Dow	2	South Haven
Dow	0	South Haven
Dow	7	Eau Claire
Dow	2	River Valley
Dow	10	Buchanan
Dow	7	Brandywine
Dow	15	Cass
Dow	12	Decatur
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		1
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Jack Wood gives everything he has



Ray Ferrier gets ready to throw his knuckle ball!



FRONT ROW, l to r: B. Morrow, T. Lecarczyk, M. Cook, B. Ostrowski, S. Taylor, R. Hunsberger, K. Belew, R. Ferrier, D. Drouillard

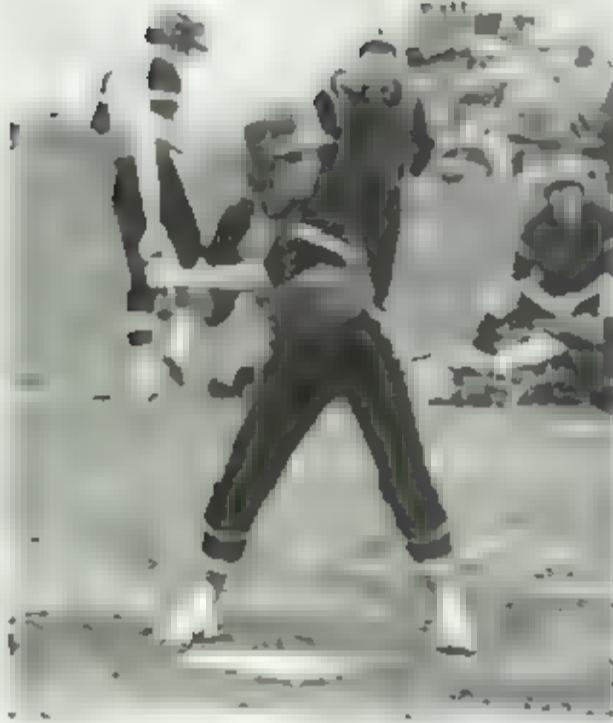
BACK ROW, l to r: Coach Stemas, J. Wolfstrom, D. DeLoof, G. Ismay, J. Wood, D. Dorgan, T. Sayer, C. Cox, B. Fowler, Mgr. R. Myers

The J.V. Baseball team posted a 14-8 win loss record for the 1978 season. The team ended the season by winning the last six games. Offensively, the team was led by Chris Cox .459, Jack Wood .419, Barry Fowler .409, Tim Sayer .400, Dan Dorgan .355, and Bruce Ostrowski at .348. Defensive standouts included Ron Hunsberger, Chuck Brezen, and Dave Drouillard. Other team members were Todd Lecarczyk, John Wolfstrom, Brad Morrow, Kevin Belew, Mike Cook, Ray Ferrier, Greg Ismay, Steve Taylor, Mike Sayer, and Doug DeLoof. The J.V. team was fortunate enough to have good pitching from Jack Wood (4-1), Mike Sayer (3-1), Chris Cox (4-3), and Ray Ferrier (3-3).

Softball



Diane takes some swings in the on-deck circle



Jamie awaits the delivered pitch



Third baseman, Deb Dorgan is waiting for play



Dara is always in a ready position



Hey Dara



Have Belts on



Darcy coaches first on a chilly day



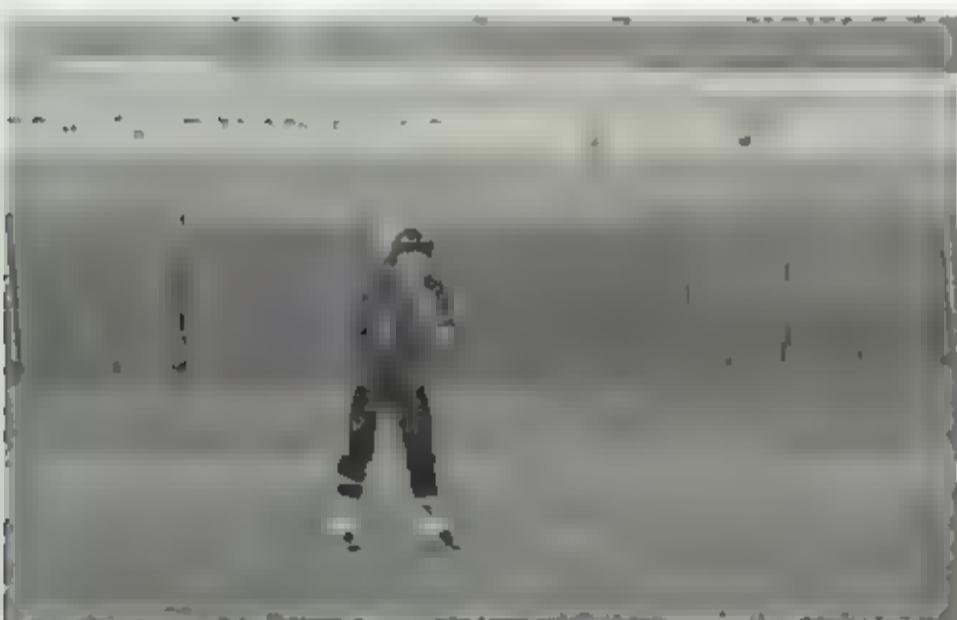
Lori takes a good cut



Kathy hits a line shot



First baseman Laurie Have is in a ready position



It looks like Sue is a little cold!



Coach Don pitches batting practice



Cindy looks to see where she's going to poke this one to



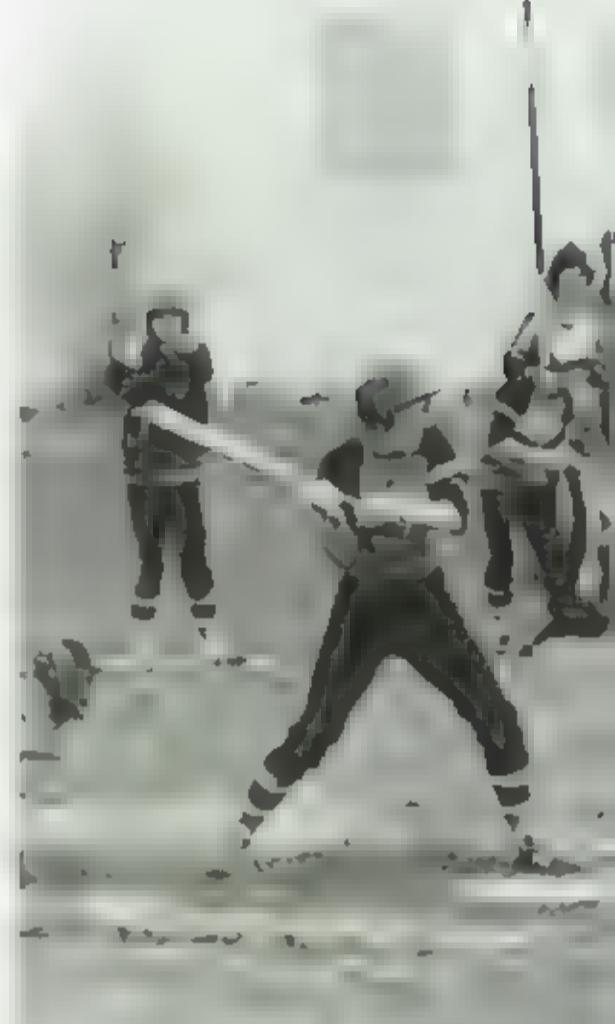
Centerfielder Lynn Ganger waits for the game to start

The 1978 Varsity Softball team completed its season with a 17-8 overall record and a Blossomland title. Dora Clarke, Kathy Leitke, and Cindy Steele were named to the All Conference first. Laurie Havel and Laura Rinderer received second team honors. Highlights of the season were wins over Brandywine and Benton Harbor, teams Dowagiac had not beaten in five years. The team batting average was .389 and the team yielded only 2.7 errors per game.

"TEAMWORK" was outstanding. Sue Stoops is the only graduating senior, but she will be missed. Holding down rightfield and occasionally an infield position, Sue did not strike out once the entire season. The girls were coached by Denny Dock.



Dora lays a bunt down the thirdbase line.



Laura's not only a good pitcher, but also a good batter.

SCOREBOARD

DOWAGIAC	OPPONENTS	
13	Coloma	3
3	Parchment	17
7	Parchment	6
17	Edwardsburg	3
13	Lakeshore	0
12	RiverValley	0
4	Brandywine	9
4	Buchanan	3
1	Buchanan	11
4	Cassopolis	29
17	Coloma	17
22	Colon	7
22	Colon	12
17	Edwardsburg	21
7	Benton Harbor	8
13	Benton Harbor	0
15	Lakeshore	13
6	RiverValley	5
17	Brandywine	14
23	Buchanan	11
49	Cassopolis	5
13	Benton Harbor	11
QUALIFYING DISTRICT		
13	Three Rivers	5
PRE DISTRICT		
10	Comstock	8
DISTRICTS		
1	Otsego	16
17-8 OVERALL 11-3 CONFERENCE		



Cor Thomas puts in a pitch.



Dora ducks as Lynn prepares to throw the ball in which she caught.

Girls' Softball — Bud-land Conference Champs



Debbie taking a mighty cut



Senior Sue Stoops throws one in from rightfield.



Cindy shows alertness on the basepath



All Conference and Award winner catcher Kathy Leitke



Kneeling, l. to r.: D. Stover, C. George, D. Clarke, K. Leitke, S. Stoops and D. Carne
Standing, l. to r.: M. Stuppy, L. Ganger, L. Havel, L. Thomas, L. Rinderer, C. Steele, and Coach Dock



Marsha puts her gear on in between innings.



Outfielder Lori Bentz awaits the hit.



Chris Dodd (11) grabs it as Karen Luke (6) backs her up.



Sharon is ready to deliver the pitch.



JV Softball Award winner Debbie Theilmann, takes a mighty swing.

Junior Varsity Softball



Bart takes a teve out



Michelle gets a solid h-1



Real exciting game!



Vicky Gard sharp third baseman



Snowcone



Sitting, l. to r.: L. Bentz, M. Owens, J. Frazier, S. Froelich, K. Luke, T. Miller, V. Gard, D. Theilmann, and P. Lovel

Standing, l. to r.: Coach O'Conner, J. Massey, C. Dodd, B. Kasiaskas, J. Sutherland, S. Tov, S. Witse, J. Jewell, and Coach Binder

Tennis Conf. Runner-Up



Todd Franklin overpowers his opponents



Mike De Waegeneer returns the serve as Gary Iwon looks on



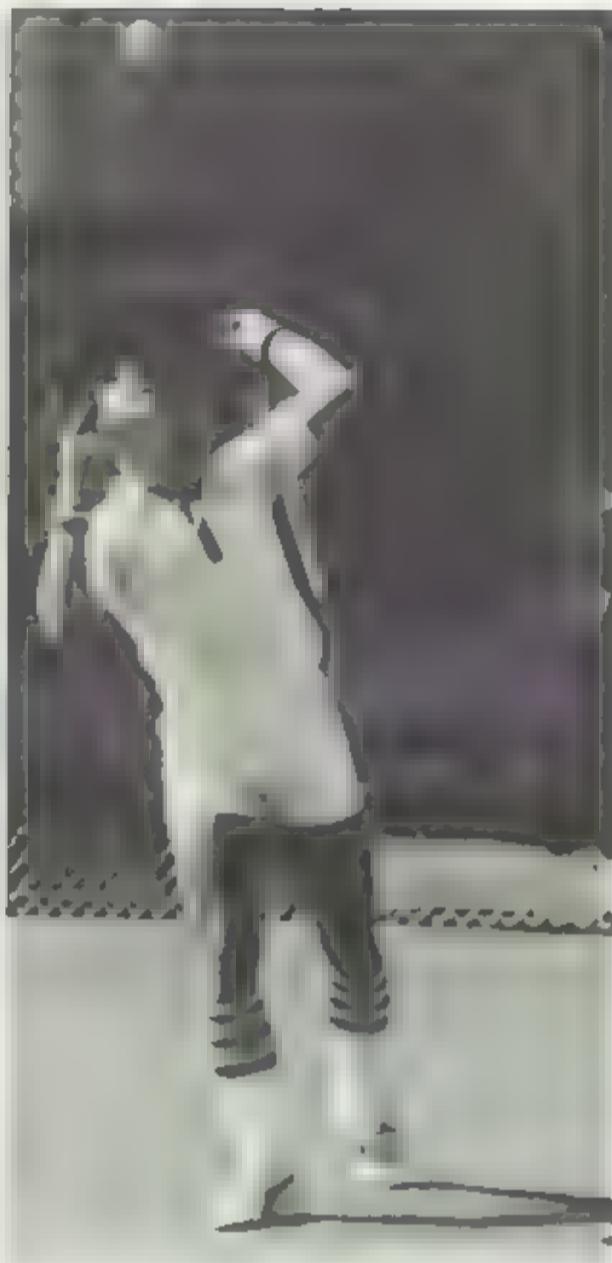
Number one singles man Dale Recti hits with his backhand



Kelly Sparks shows her good form



Greg Rupp shows his stick.



Keith Ivens eyes the ball.



Kelly Sparks shows off her forehand.



Gary Irwin and Mike De Waeghe perform a shot.



Photo by Mark L. Schuster

Hard Work Pays Off For Young Team



Gary Irwin concentrates on the ball



Brian Hedges plans his strategy

SCOREBOARD

Dow	4	Paw Paw	3
Dow	2	Coloma	5
Dow	5	Edwardsburg	2
Dow	3	Lakeshore	4
Dow	0	Sturgis	7
Dow	4	Buchanan	3
Dow	6	Cass	1
Dow	5	Coloma	2
Dow	7	Brandywine	0
Dow	5	Edwardsburg	2
Dow	6	Constantine	1
Dow	2	Lakeshore	5
Dow	2	Buchanan	5
Dow	4	LMC	3
Dow	7	Cass	0
Dow	6	Brandywine	1
	115	overall	
	8-4	conf. (2nd)	



FRONT ROW, l to r: M Davis, B Davis, D Kirby, J Bennett, B Morrow, B Schilling, K Ray, R Glynn
MID. ROW, l to r: G Irwin, M De Waegeneer, B Hedges, A James, T Franklin, S Gajewski
BACK ROW, l to r: Coach Watson, B Szymanowski, G Ropp, K Ivens, D Rector



Steve Gajewski goes up high for the ball



Greg "twinkletoes" Ropp is up in the air about things

The Varsity Tennis Team enjoyed its second consecutive winning season. They won 11 and lost only 5 matches. Their 8-4 record in the conference was good enough for a 2nd place finishing.

The highlight of the season was the eleven points scored in the conference match. Everyone on the team scored at least one point, showing the depth of the team this year.

Dale Rector was the #1 man. Brian Szymanski was conference champion of 4th singles. Greg Ropp runner up at 3rd singles, and Mike De Waegeneer and Gary Irwin were runners up at 3rd doubles.

Dale Rector, Steve Gajewski, and Mike De Waegeneer were captains this year. Even though these three will graduate this year, next year should prove to be just as exciting as this year.



Steve Gajewski warms up before the match



Brian Hedges hits with power



Kelly Sparks awaits her opponent's serve

Sports Awards



The 1978 A. Sports Award winners were Larry McCaughan, Sue Stoops, and Dan Weinman.



1978 AWARD WINNERS FROM L. R. S. Stoops, S. Bryant, B. Jones, O. Hester, C. Stoops, T. H. L. S. Stoops, V. Walker, K. Miller



Mr. Dock and Miss Cupp proudly present the 1978 Blossomland Girls All Sports Trophy to Mr. Boes and the school

1978 AWARDS WINNERS

Past Presidents Award — Dave Mosier
Girls Volleyball — Sue Stoops
Cross Country — Mike Gantt
Girls J.V. Volleyball — Gail Steele
Golf — Todd Franklin
Girls J.V. Basketball — Lisa Sutherland
J.V. Basketball — Jack Wood
Girls Softball — Kathy Leitke
Girls J.V. Softball — Debbie Thielman
J.V. Baseball — Barry Fowler
Girls Track — Becky Johnson
Boys Track — Craig Morrow
Cheerleaders — Shanna Bryant
Tennis — Dale Rector

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1978 AWARD WINNERS FRONT ROW, l to r C Morrow, Wood M Gantt, Kudremeyer, T Drouillard, C Cox, T Franklin, M Mosier
BACK ROW, l to r T Stoops, D Rector, B Fowler, J Waakes, R Behnke, L Dergan, L McLaughlin, D Weiman



This year's speaker was Jack McAvoy



Dan Weinman shown here after co-winning the coveted All Sports Award



This page courtesy of Dowagiac Sports Council.

These senior girls all participated in some way in athletics at DUHS this year

Sports Awards

1978 AWARD WINNERS

Girls Basketball — Vickie Williams
Boys Basketball — Larry McLaughlin
J V Football — Chris Cox
Football — Roger Behnke / Dan Weinman
J.V. Wrestling — Jeff Bauer
Wrestling — Jim Kurdelmeyer / Tom Drouillard
Baseball — Jim Waalkes
Gordon Robinson Award — Mike Nate / Tim Stuppy
Managers — Mike Nate
Joe Krugger Soph Award — Chris Cox
Jim DeShazo Award — Joe Miller
John Clupper Award — Tom Drouillard
Girls All Sports Award — Sue Stoops
Boys All-Sports Award — Larry McLaughlin / Dan Weinman

Larry McLaughlin won the Basketball award in addition to the All Sports award



These senior boys, who were involved in athletics over the past three years at Dowagiac, ponder moments of past events





FACULTY

*Because of you I am
able to travel with the
wings of knowledge
to destinations of
truth and
understanding.*

—S. T. O. L.



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ADMINISTRATION SECRETARIES LEFT, 1 to b: Doris Ryder, Helen Leich, Ann Horner, Betty Han
Debbie Doorn

RIGHT, f to b: Karen Pellow, Martha Cox, Betty Wallace, Terrie Wade



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Mr. Richard Dorgan — Ass't Principal-Athletic Director



Mr. Robert Wagel — Guidance Counselor



Dr. Joseph Andrews — Administrative Ass't



Mr. Robert O'Connor — Mathematics



Mr. K. Craig McCoy — Vo-Agriculture

Teachers Are People



Mr. Martin Hammon — Math/Science



Miss Emily Comstock — Eng. sh and Mr. John Mead — Math/Science



Mrs. Norma Mullin — Home Crafts



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Mr. Patrick Stemas — Social Studies



Mr. Garry Johnson — Phys. Ed./English



Mr. Russell Bergemann — Co-op



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Mr. E. Haynie Gourley — English



Mr. Eugene Fuessle — Science



Mr. Charles Sanborn — Eng. / Social Studies



Mr. Van Johnson — Business Ed



Mrs. Mary Ann Bengtsson — Soc. St. / French



Mr. Tom Stansifer — Band



Mr. Tom Hewitt — Mathematics



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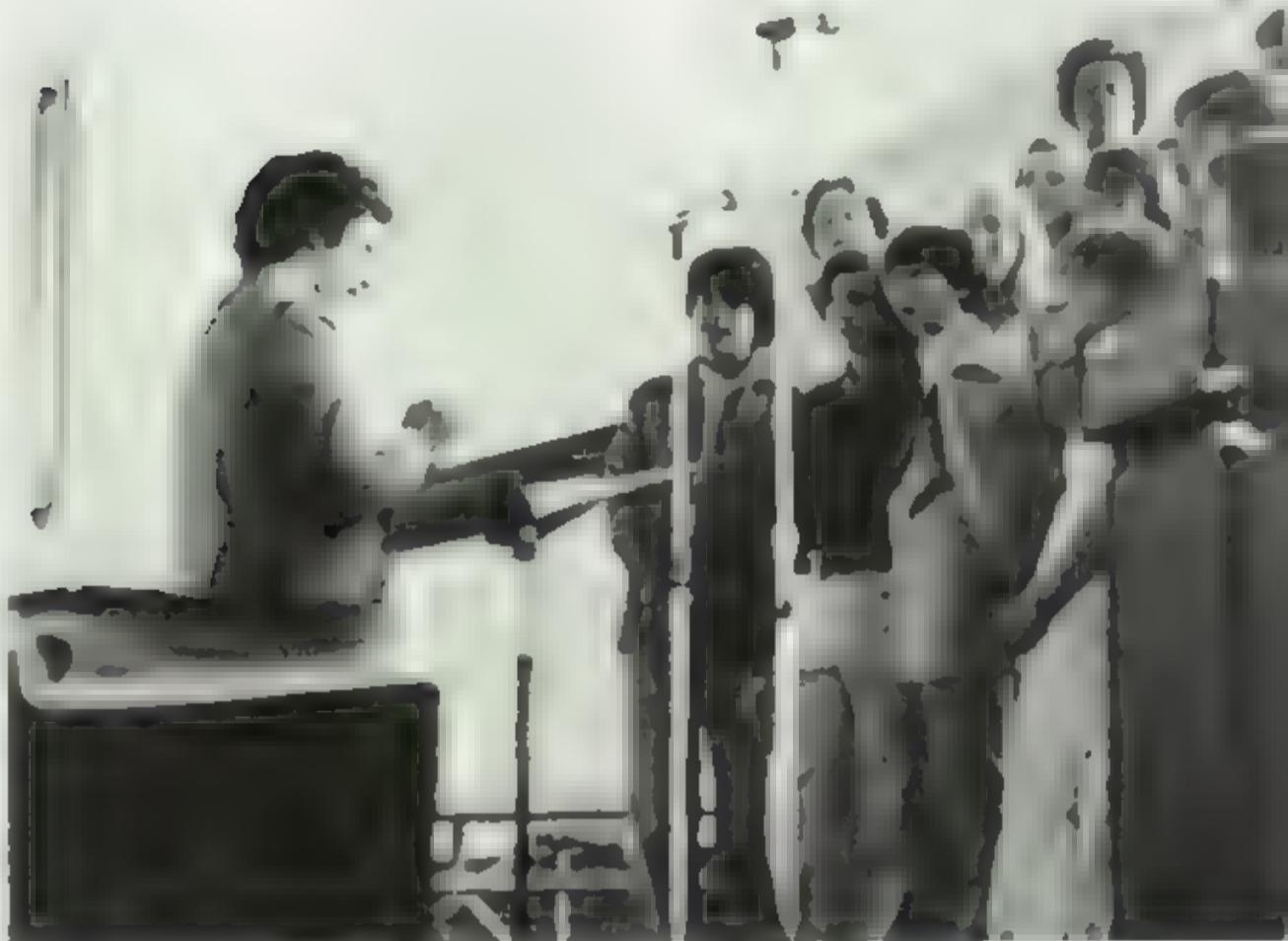
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Mr. Bruce Watson — Business Co op



Miss Cynthia Alman — Business



Mr. Lee Neidlinger — Wood Shop



Mr. James Hunter — Science



Mr. Roy Puymore — Drafting, Photography

Pointing The Way To Tomorrow



Miss Betty Reid — English Reading Journalism



Mr. George Bahbah — Science



Mr. Bruce Sutton — Phys. Ed /Psych



Miss Margaret Hunter — Art and Mrs. Mary Ann Bengtsson — Social Studies French



Mr. David Shoemake — Guidance Counselor



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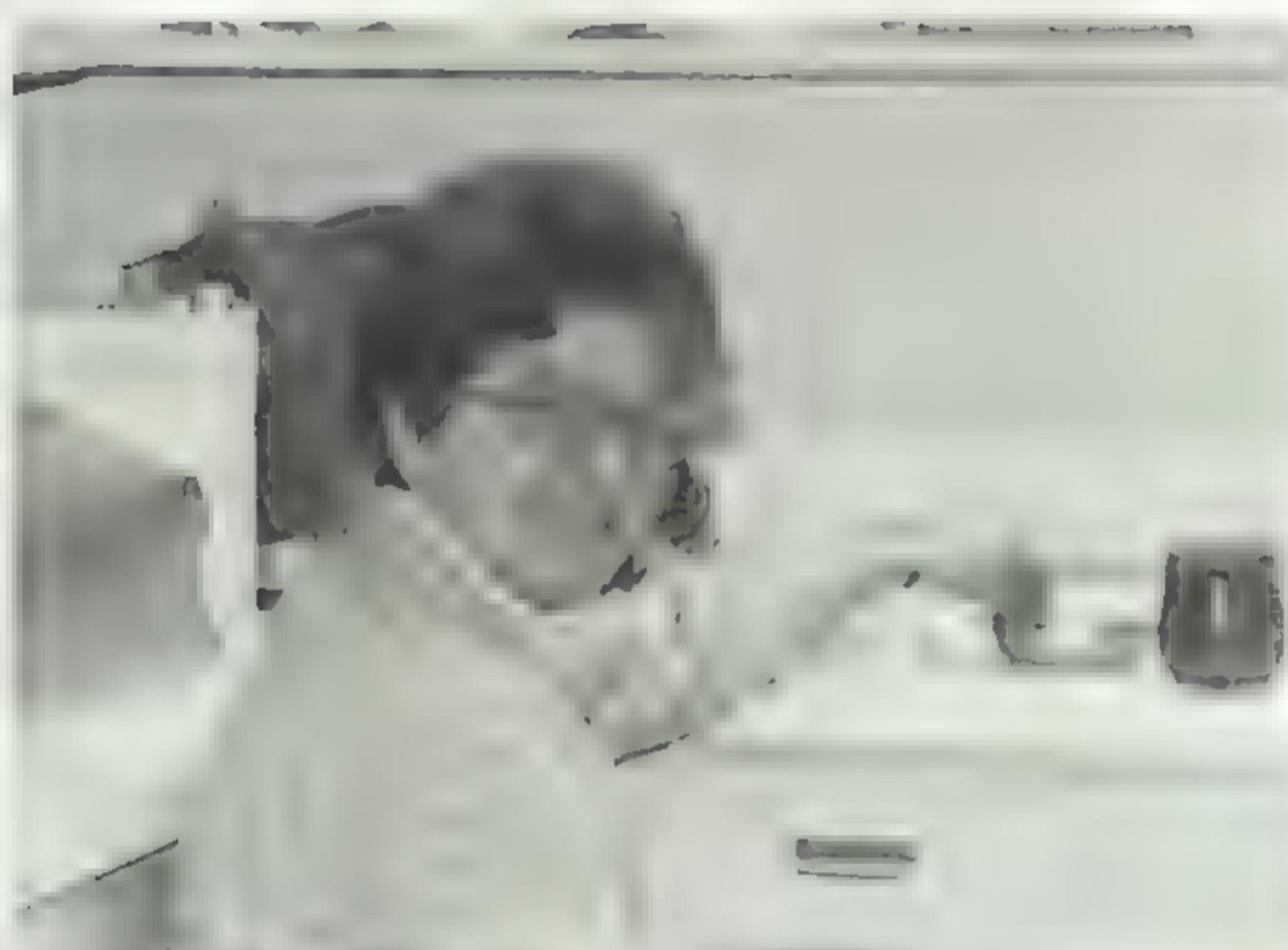
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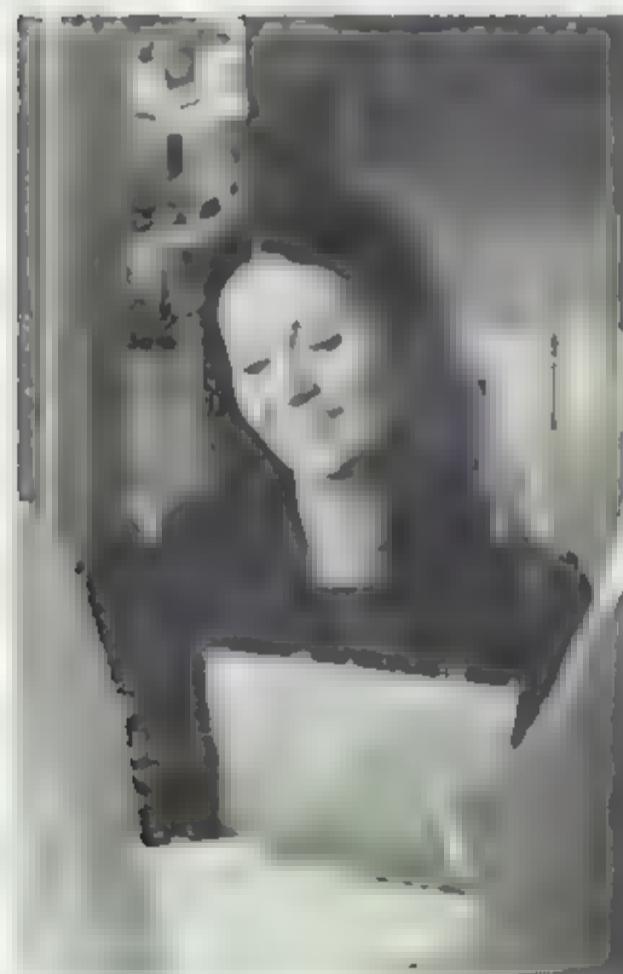
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Mr. Sutton posing as the "Ugliest Teacher" for Special Olympics



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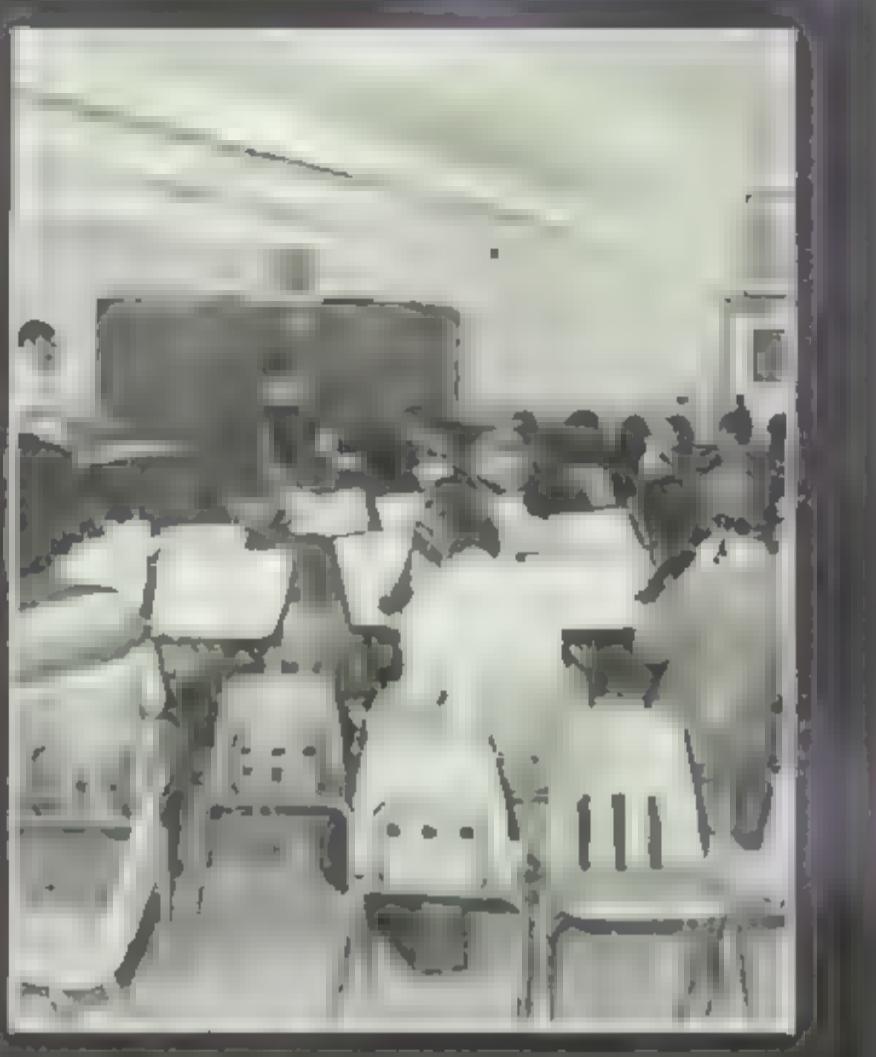
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Football games provide a moment of deep thought for Miss Alman



ORGANIZATIONS

It's been a long journey but the friends we have met make it worth all the hours; all the triumphs and tears; and the work put in to succeed.

Bats In The Belfry



Trick or treat!



Ya gotta get in the groove — Groove?



Poison!



What's wrong, Officer Higgins?



Why Oliver!



A toast, . . .



I sacrifice you in the name of the Devil



Who did it?



How do you do, Mr. Ogitby



The time for the concert draws near.



The Chorale Choir is joined by Dawn Steele for a number



All choruses combine for the final numbers



Mixed Choir adds their greeting of the holiday season



Girls' Chorus sings the joys of Christmas



Where shall I put my coat?

Christmas Concert

Foreign Exchange Club



M. DeWaegeneer R. Moretzshon



FRONT ROW Adrianna Viera, Jeanne Leshbrandt
BACK ROW: Michael DeWaegeneer, Roberto Moretzshon, Antonio Mello



L. Craft, R. McDonald, S. Sherk, T. Karnes



L to R: L. Craft, A. Mello, Mrs. Carey, R. Moretzshon, M. De Waegeneer, J. Leshbrandt, Viera, T. Goodrich, C. Probst

Varsity Clubs



FRONT: T Drouillard, J Miller, K Cunningham, D Lott, L McLaughlin, K Cox, T Stuppy, F Herzog
MIDDLE: T Franklin, B Dowsett, B Jewell, D Drouillard, J Miller, C Brezen, D Mathews
BACK: G Lee, R Green, M Saver, F Bourney, B Morrow, M Gant, M Cravens, Coach Johnson



SITTING: D Clarke, L Thomas, D Clarke, C Steele, Miss. Omstrik, B Hansen, S Stoops, L Rinderer, P French, A Brian
KNEELING: G Steele, P Douglas, K Lutke, N Smith, L Hove, T Bran, D Stiver, J Bennett, L Sutherland, D Dorgan
STANDING: J Ryder, C McGrew, E Dye, V Williams, O Houston, D Smith, A Reifenburg, D Steele



Try to Remember



They Were You



Remember



This Plum Is Too Ripe



Friendship

"A Senior Farewell"



"If I were a Rich Man."



"Show Business"



Never Seen



Little Red Hat

Theater		Judy Ryder, Mike	
EDR 82	Mark	Mark	Judy
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Jazz Band play at the depot dedicated on

Jazz Band



The band is always loading a bus to travel to another event



FRONT: L. Sutherland, T. Ruckes, C. Laylin, M. Douglas, E. James, L. Hippensteel, J. Arndt, C. Gwilt
MIDDLE: E. Anthony, F. Grechen, D. Joans, S. Myers, K. Barnhart, S. Parmenter, A. Watkins, L. Voorhees, M. Wheeler, S. Hines
BACK: J. Wisnewski, G. Peck, G. Ropp, B. Barr

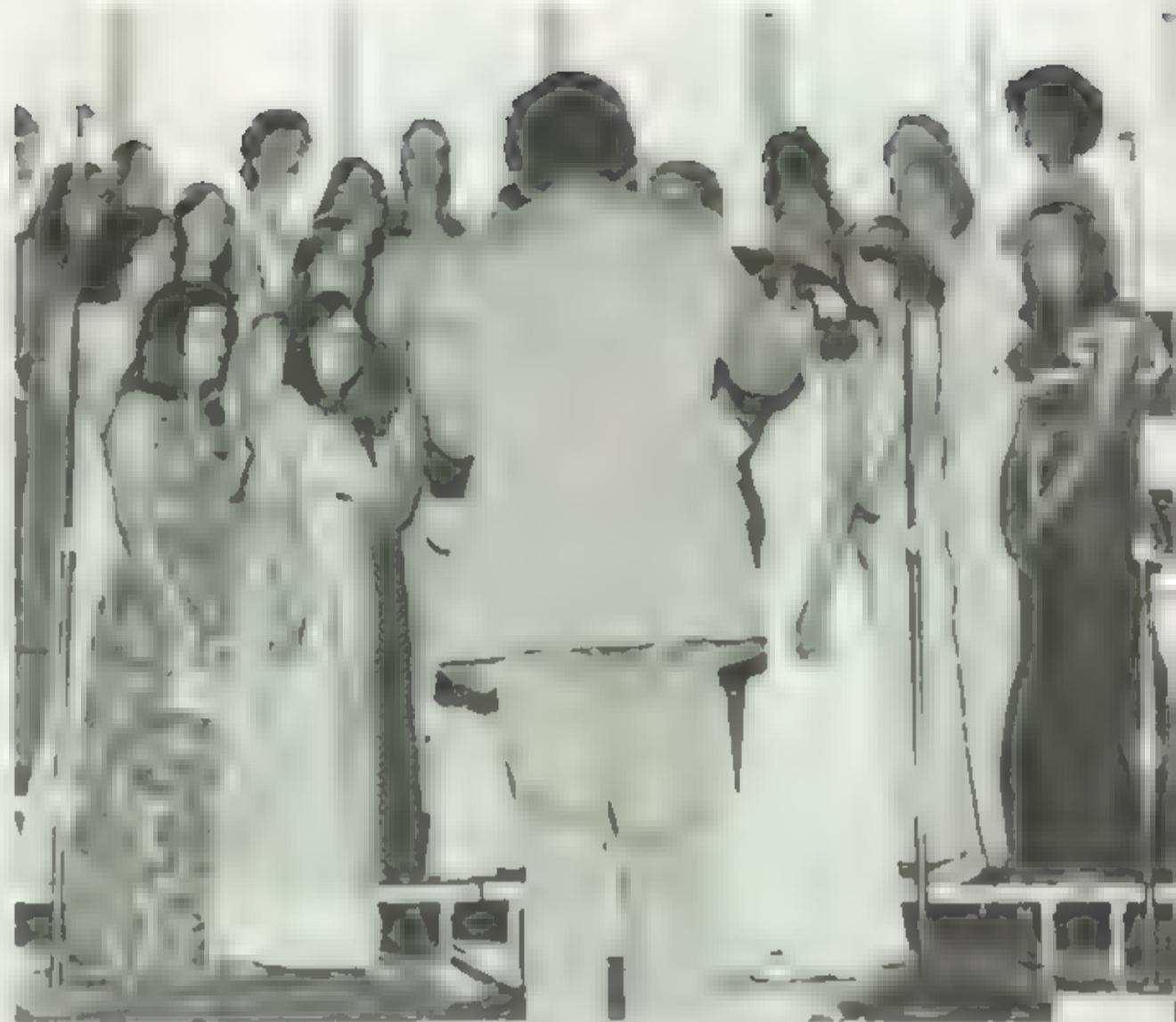
Spring Concert



Mixed Chorus



Chorale



Girls Chorus



Seniors receive recognition for their years in choir



Jody Ryder and Mark Cravens receive the Senior Choir Award



The Chorale presented several styles of music



All the choirs combine for the final numbers

Band

RESERVED



Band members have fun, too. Ya know!



TWIRLERS: N. Gwilt, W. Zigfried, P. Froelich

ROW 1: D. Krish, D. Steele, J. Smith, T. Dodd, S. Wiltse, T. Miller, M. Keller, T. Konopinski, P. Bowe, M. Poindexter

ROW 2: B. Kasauskas, K. Sparks, M. Owens, E. Wyant, S. Hall, L. Burn, B. Kingman, T. Harris, S. Brownlow, A. Smith

ROW 3: K. Murphy, S. Gordon, B. Shoemaker, T. Dodd, D. Stover, R. Wesaw, M. Lillie

ROW 4: S. Myers, A. Watkins, D. Kretzer, R. Laylin, M. Spangler, T. Hines

ROW 5: D. Grays, D. Dorgan, D. Stover, L. Meisterheim, B. Joanis, K. Sarabyn, L. Proshwitz, Karen Jones

ROW 6: E. James, L. Hippensteel, J. Arndt, K. Griechen, C. Pullins, K. Wenger, L. Disterheft

ROW 7: T. Bailey, J. Jackson, J. Wolfrom, E. Anthony, K. Proshwitz, D. Joanis, J. Stephenson

ROW 8: M. Clark, Scott Bennett, S. Topping, L. Proshwitz

ROW 9: M. Bowe, V. Hunsurger, G. Ropp, B. Barr, T. Jefferson

ROW 10: M. Douglas, D. Rector



The band participated in many concerts



RIFLE J Kazlauskas

TWIRLER M McKay

FIRST ROW M Metalsky, J First, M Green, B Campbell, M Keler, N French, D Jones, L Bentz, E French, C Neumann

SECOND ROW M Judd, V James, J Luthringer, K Jones, S Jones, C McGrew, C Probst, D Disterheft, B Barr, C Laylin, K West

THIRD ROW: D Gard, J Joyner, C Pullins, J Bennett, T Brownlow, J Jessup, C Gwilt, S. Towe, C Laylin

FOURTH ROW: J Baldwin, S Parmenter, T Nemeth, K Barnhart, T Krager, L Voorhees, N Wheeler, R Guyas, D Garland

FIFTH ROW: B Willis, B Floor, J Greenway, T Turnbow, F Guchen

SIXTH ROW: P J Kocsis, A Small, B Johnson, G Peck, L Carlyle



Twirlers, W. Zigfried and P. Froehlich, entertained the crowds at football games



Wahoo

FRONT: C. Phillipson, R. Taggart, S. Gajewski, M. Peterson.

MIDDLE: M. Gehgart, L. Thomas, B. Morrow, D. Bizzell, B. Belew, M. Cravens, D. Symmonds

BACK: K. Letke, S. Gordon, A. Watkins, D. Dwan, J. Jewell, C. O'Banion, N. Brezen, D. Griffin, B. Morrow

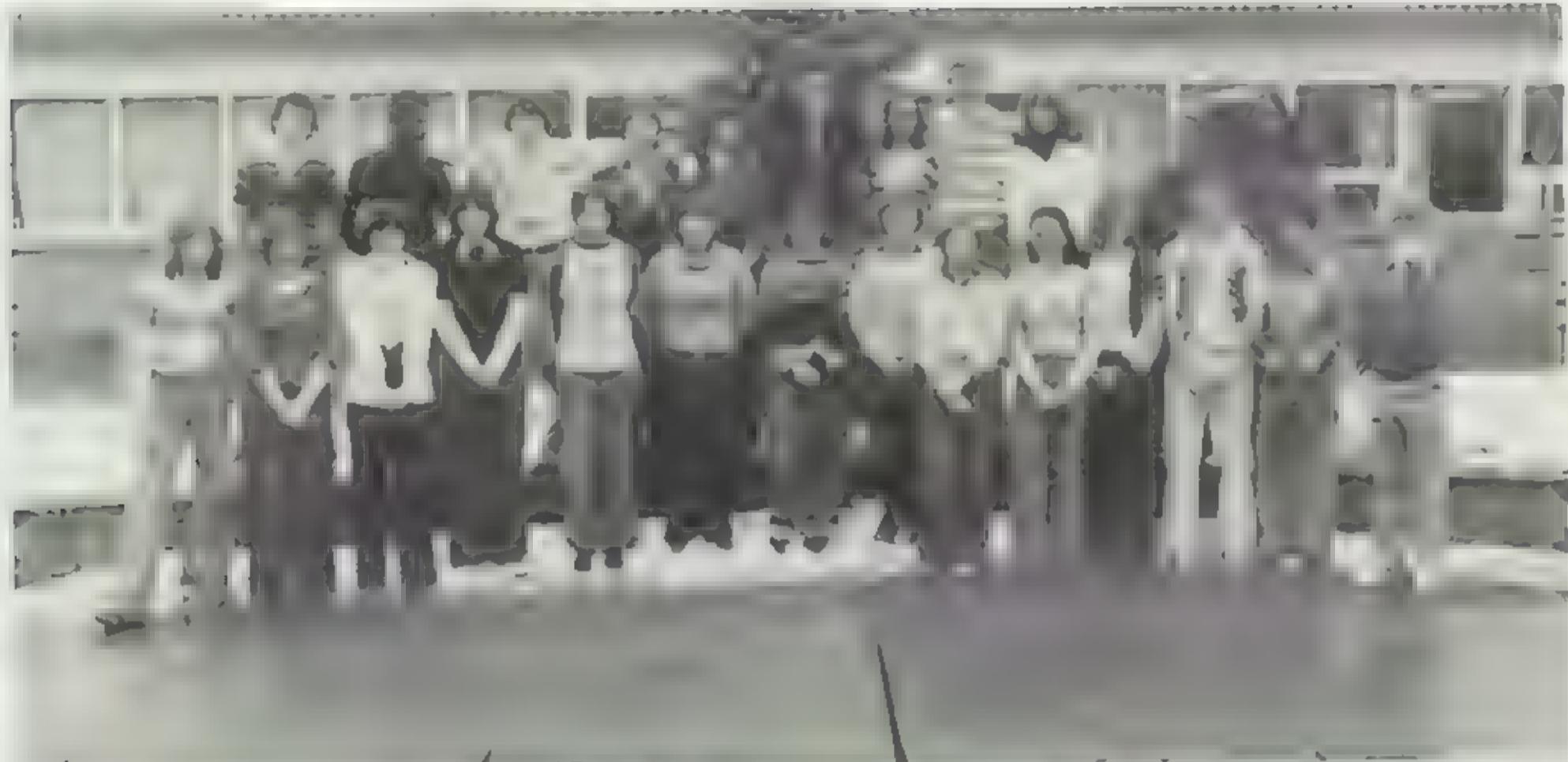


Art Club

FRONT: J. Ryder, K. Wagner, K. Groves, C. O'Banion

BACK: D. Scanlon, T. Radtke, D. Kielzer, N. French, B. Haskins, L. Hotrum, Miss Hunter

Language Club



FRONT ROW: G. Revis, K. Hilderbrandt, C. Phillipson, M. Schar, F. Shrage, D. Palmer, D. Chapman, L. Heritz, M. McKay, C. Bonine, J. Lawrence, K. Belew, Mrs. Bengtsson, B. Willis, D. Harlan, K. Rayford, B. Jewell, L. Keller, N. Brezen, G. Ismay, C. Giles, M. Willis, A. Gratz, C. Steele, J. Pompey



SITTING: J. Mead, T. Nemeth, J. Nemeth, D. Gailhouse
STANDING: M. Anders, T. Anders, K. Grover, L. Moore, H. Christopher, Terry Shardon.

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Annie Get Your Gun



Did ya see me, Frank?



raise ya ten



I owe it to my ova'



man, Indian, too!



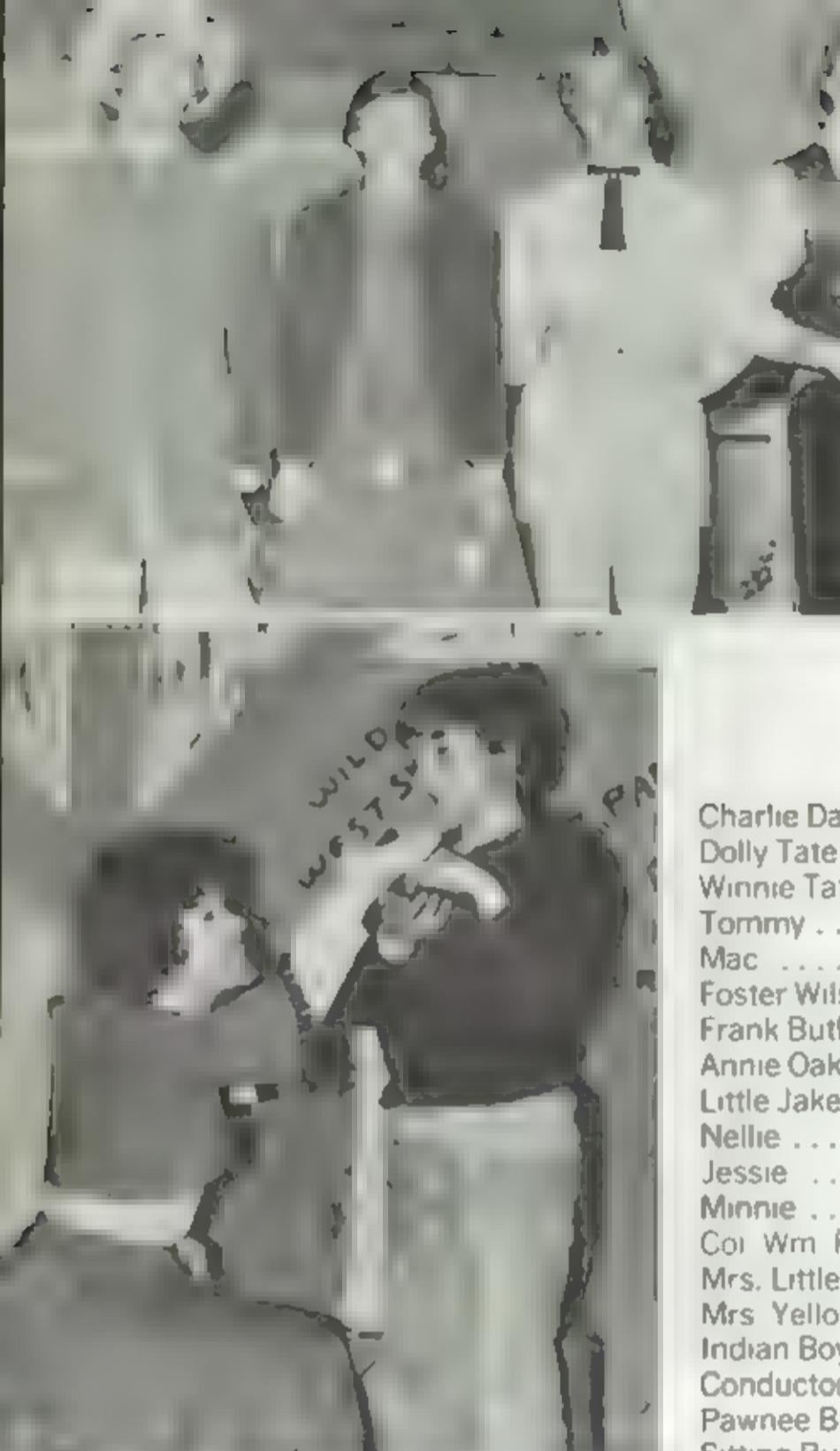
If ya hadn't, I'd have shot ya right in the bellybutton



Mama's singin' you to sleep with a moonshine lullabye



Ladies and gentlemen, ladies and gentlemen



IRVING BERLIN'S
**ANNIE GET
YOUR
GUN**



CAST
(IN ORDER OF APPEARANCE)

Charlie Davenport	Bill Maddox
Dolly Tate	Diane Bizzell
Winnie Tate	Coleen Sullivan
Tommy	David Symmonds
Mac	Brian Morrow
Foster Wilson	Bruce Morrow
Frank Butler	Mark Cravens
Annie Oakley	Jody Ryder
Little Jake	Jon Ryder
Nellie	Sherri Gordon
Jessie	Jill Lucker
Minnie	Renee Cooper
Col. Wm. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill)	Dale Rector
Mrs. Little Horse	Kristi Jackson
Mrs. Yellow Foot	Chris Thorton
Indian Boy	Chris Cooper
Conductor	Robin Small
Pawnee Bill	Ron Taggart
Sitting Bull	Mike Willis
Mrs. Peter Porter	Beth Massey
Mrs. Adams	Debbie Rawson
Mr. Adams	Tom Rawson
Mrs. Henderson	Connie O'Banion
Mr. Clay	Robin Small

CHORUS

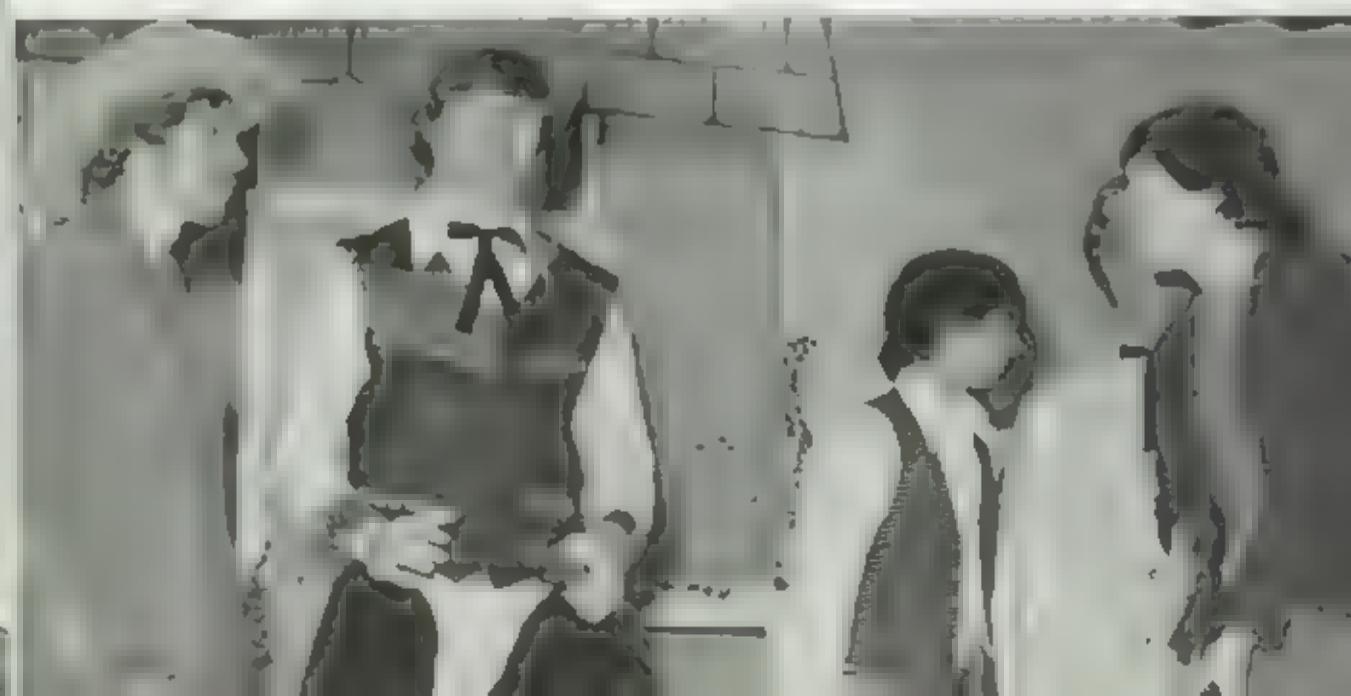
Gale Flake
Jody First
Chris Thorton
Diane Murry
Kristi Jackson
Monica Gebhard
Ann Riefenburg
Marie Stockwell
Brenda Campbell
Cathy Hall
Bob Middleton
Mike Peterson
Chet Wilds
Larry Litherland
Lewis Richmond
Mark White

VILLAGE CHILDREN

Eric Cardwell
Teddy Wallace
Lisa Heritz
Nanette Heritz
Todd Benkert
Chad Benkert
Scott Tippin

DANCERS

Monica Gebhard	Heidi Gould
Nanette Heritz	Carin Gould



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Acccompanist Mrs. Sheryl Benkert, Piano
Choreographer Van Hunsberger, Percussion
Stage Manager Mrs. Lydia Gould
Set Designer Bruce Morrow
Make-up Connie O'Banion
Costumes Cassidy Costume Collection
Costume Mistress Connie O'Banion
Ass't Gale Flake
Prop Master Brian Morrow
Lights Kevin Belew
Tickets Mr. Keith Cooper
Program Design Cheri Hillman
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Connie O'Banion

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Connie O'Banion, Colleen Nozicka, Jennifer Jewell, Gary Benedix, Brian Morrow, Bruce Morrow, Tom Drouillard, Denise Dawn, Mark Cravens, Nancy Brezen, Renee Cooper, Chris Cooper, Laura Sherk, Jody Ryder, Diane Bizzell, Ron Taggart

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Cheri Hillman
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TICKETS

Jim Judd
Kathy Pugh

LIGHTS

Jennifer Jewell
Lori Heritz

MAKE-UP

Bonnie Shoemaker
Linda Gajewski
Gary Benedix

PROPS

Nancy Brezen
Kathy Kasper

Honor Society Induction



Jennifer Jewel receives her candle from Sherry Gordon and Anne Watkins



B.I. speaks on the importance of leadership in the National Honor Society



The lighted candles are a tradition for National Honor Society inductees



FRONT: R. McCoy, J. Griffin, D. Oprea, H. Gould
BACK: A. Gratz, B. Wurster

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Bows and Arrows



Editor Cheri Hi man starts her way toward insanity



FRONT ROW: M Metalski, A Donovan, B Bassett, L Sherk, R Small, C Sullivan, C Hillman
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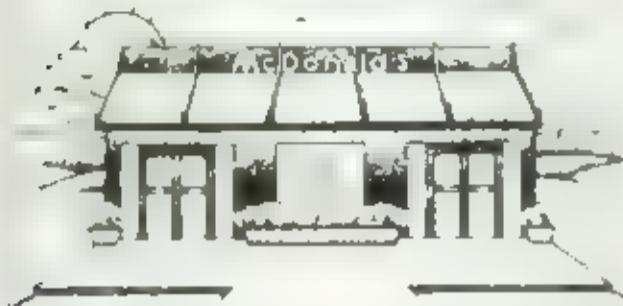
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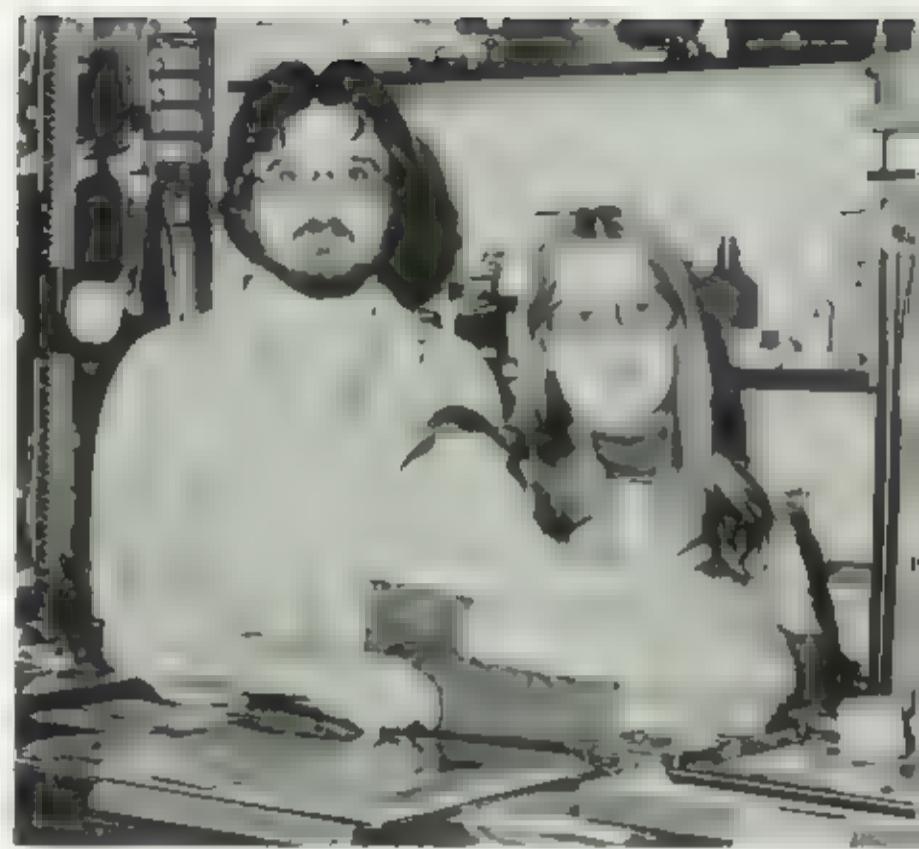
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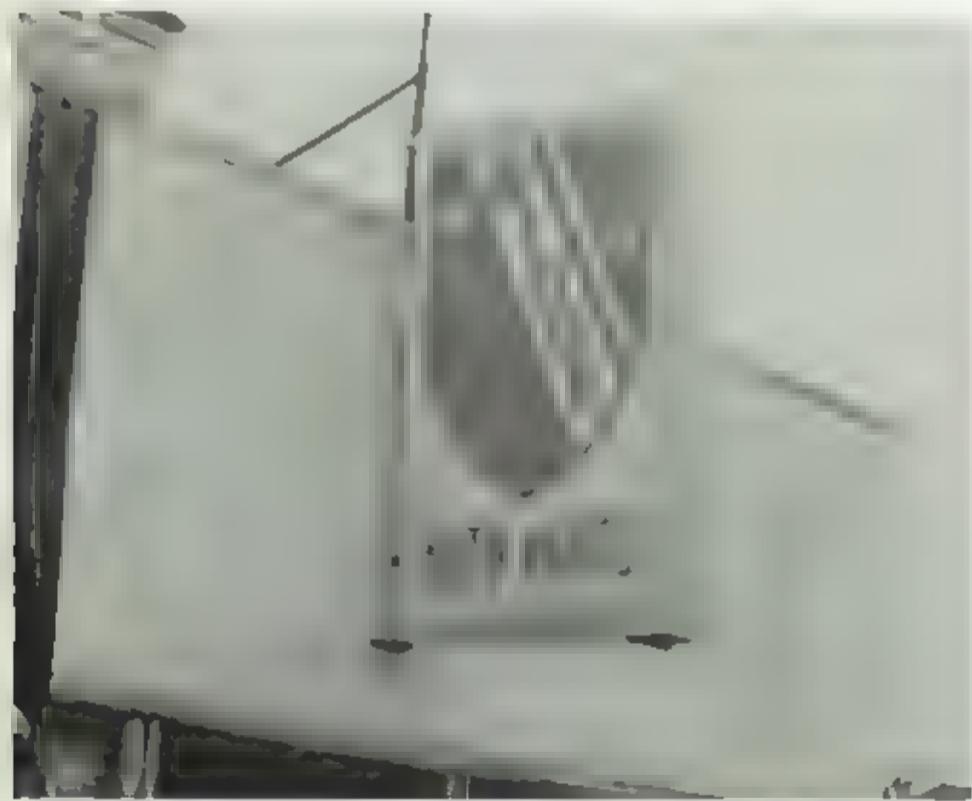
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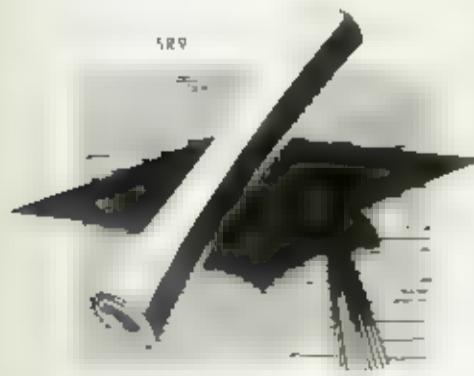
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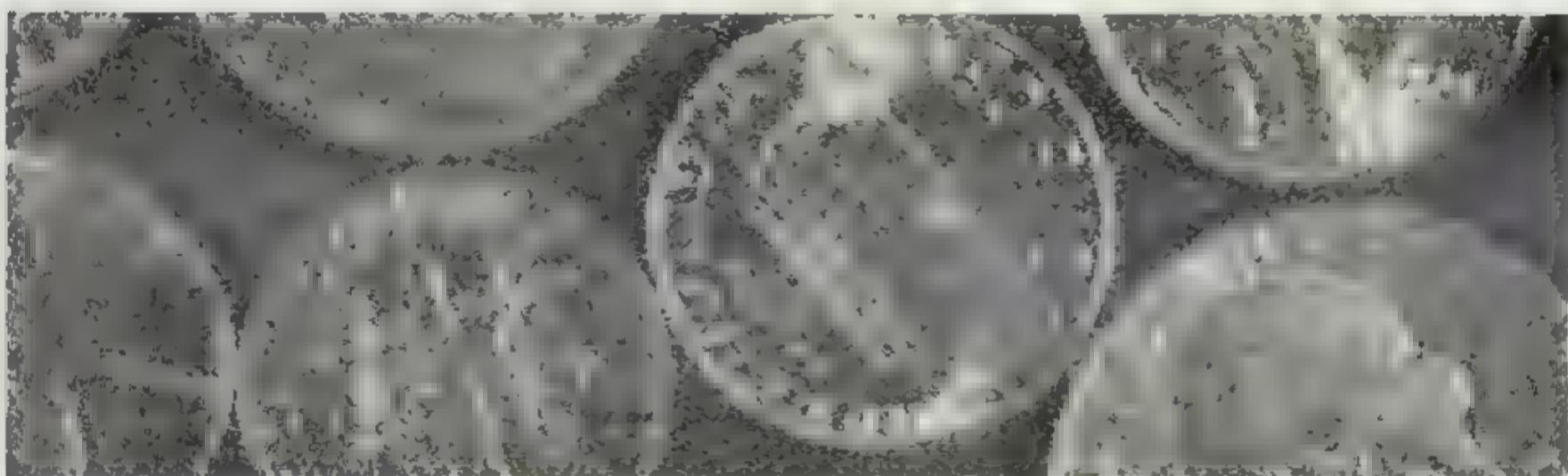
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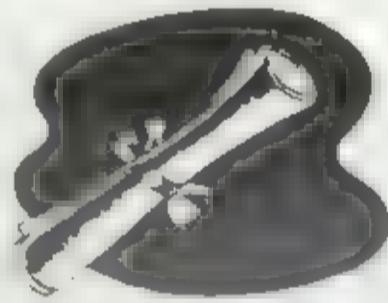


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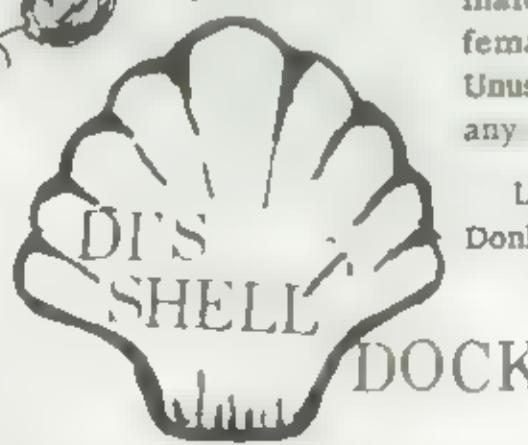
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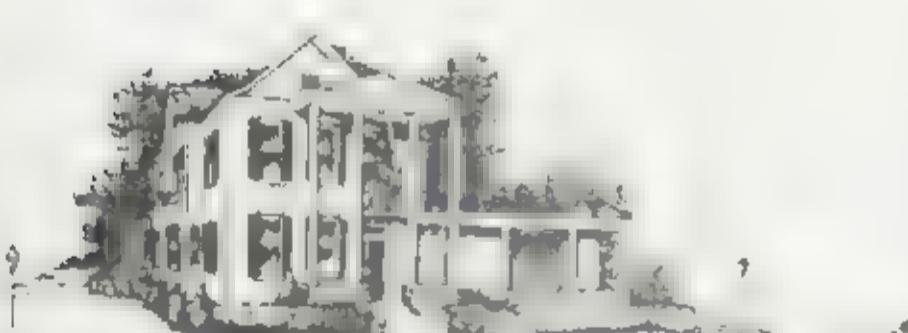
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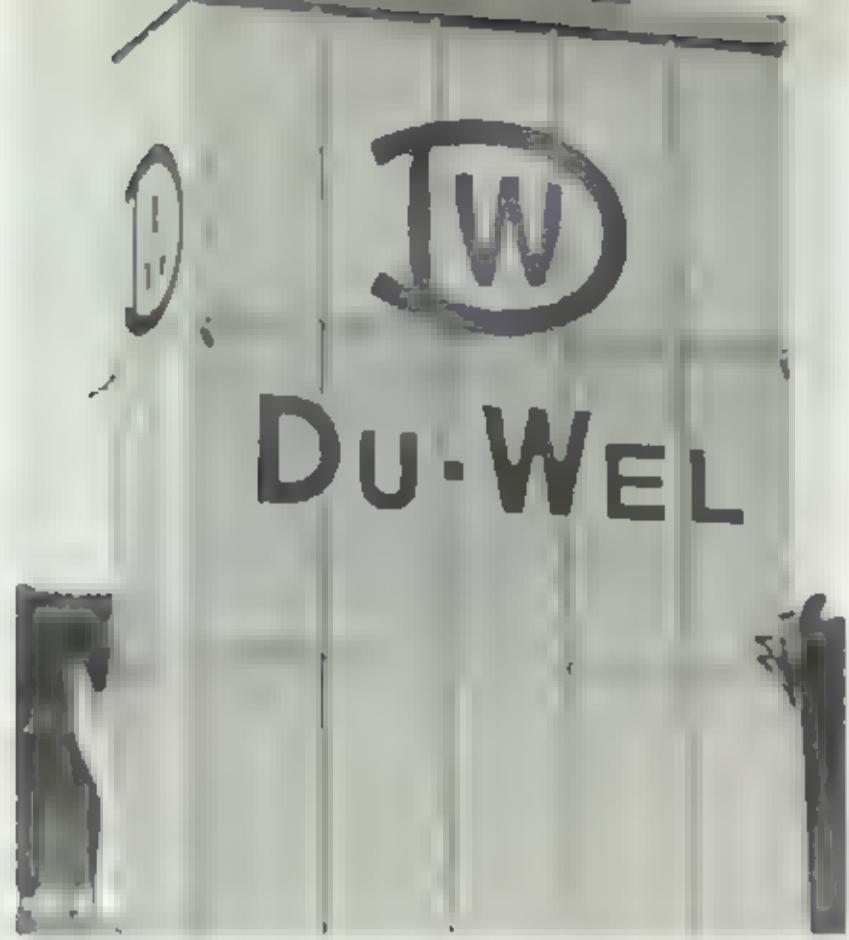
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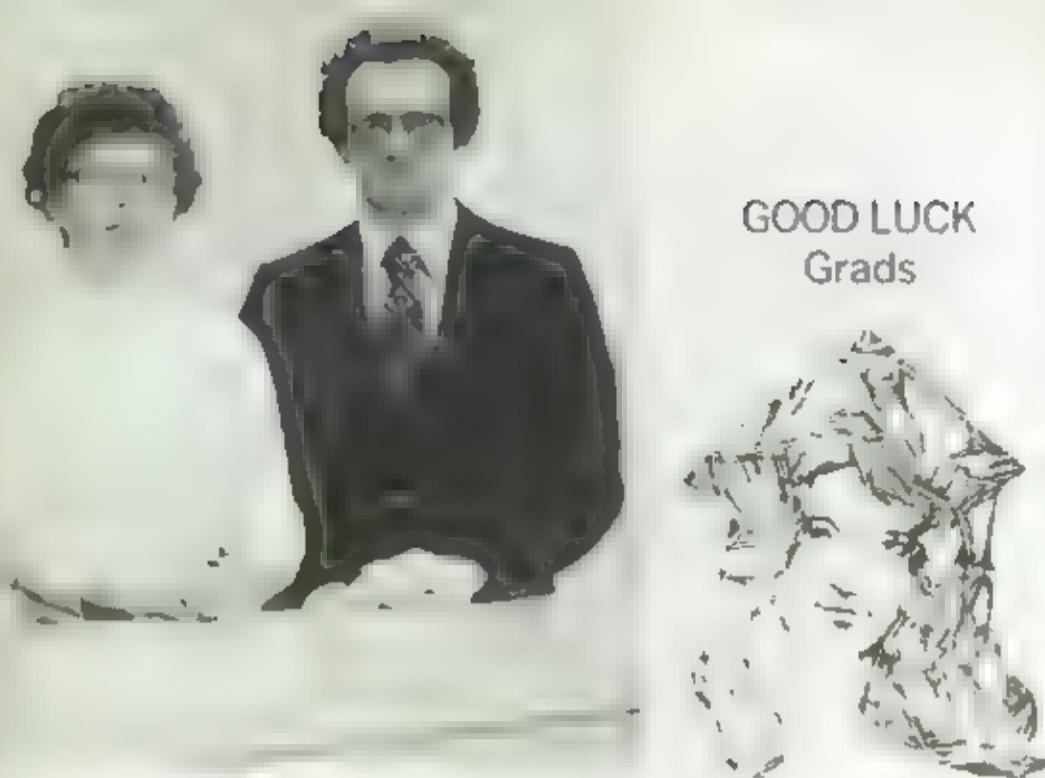
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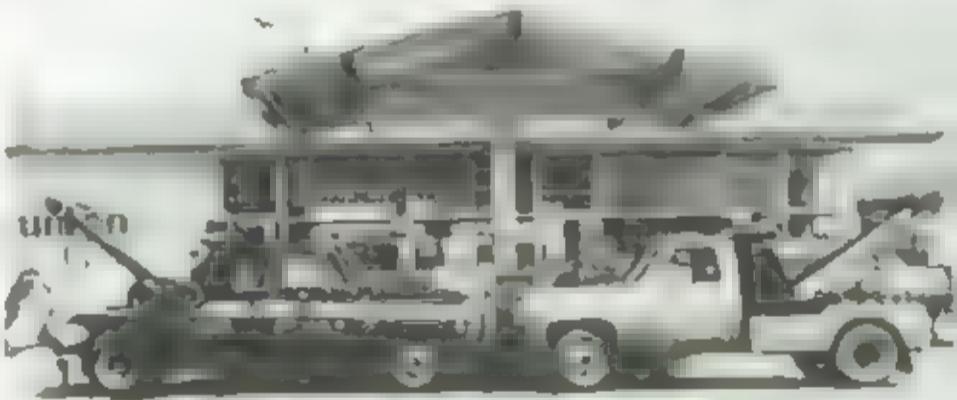
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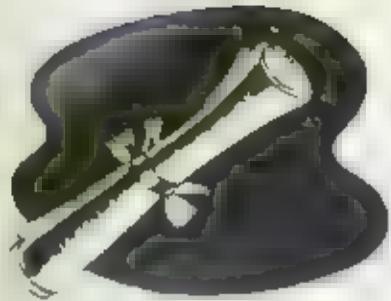
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*In trying, the
knowing and
believing spring forth
as if from an ever
flowing stream to
open gateways to the
world. In overcoming,
I learned to forge
forward for it leads to
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Teresa Taggari



Dawn Steele presenting Mrs. Siczek with a watch from the National Honor Society



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FRONT: A. Sprague, T. Pacheco, M. Douglas, S. Stoops, T. Dodd
BACK: T. Taggart, D. Bizzell, F. Bourmay, K. Groves, P. Froehlich, C. Sullivan



Inset: Donna Lyke and Terrie Crittend discuss their Honor Awards

Awards



Cileen Sullivan receives her Drama Award
from Mr. Cooper



Inset: Michael De Waagjoneer thanks the citizens of Dowgac at the Awards Program



Mr. Puymon presented Les Sutherland with a photography award



Kit Wagner receives her Art Club Merit Award.



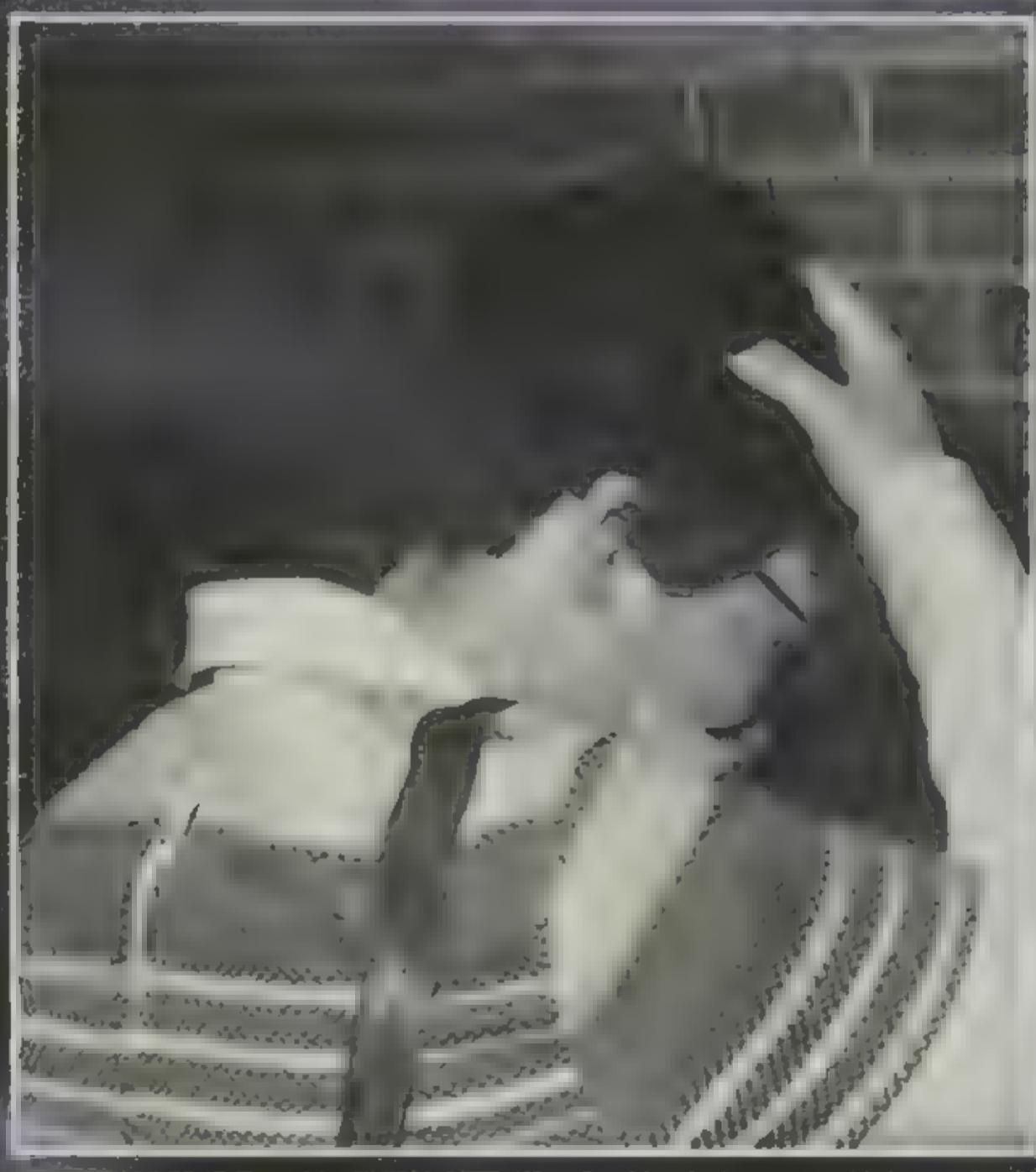
Dawn Steele presents Rona Laylin with the Jul Stambaugh Memorial Scholarship



Many Art Awards were presented at the Awards Program



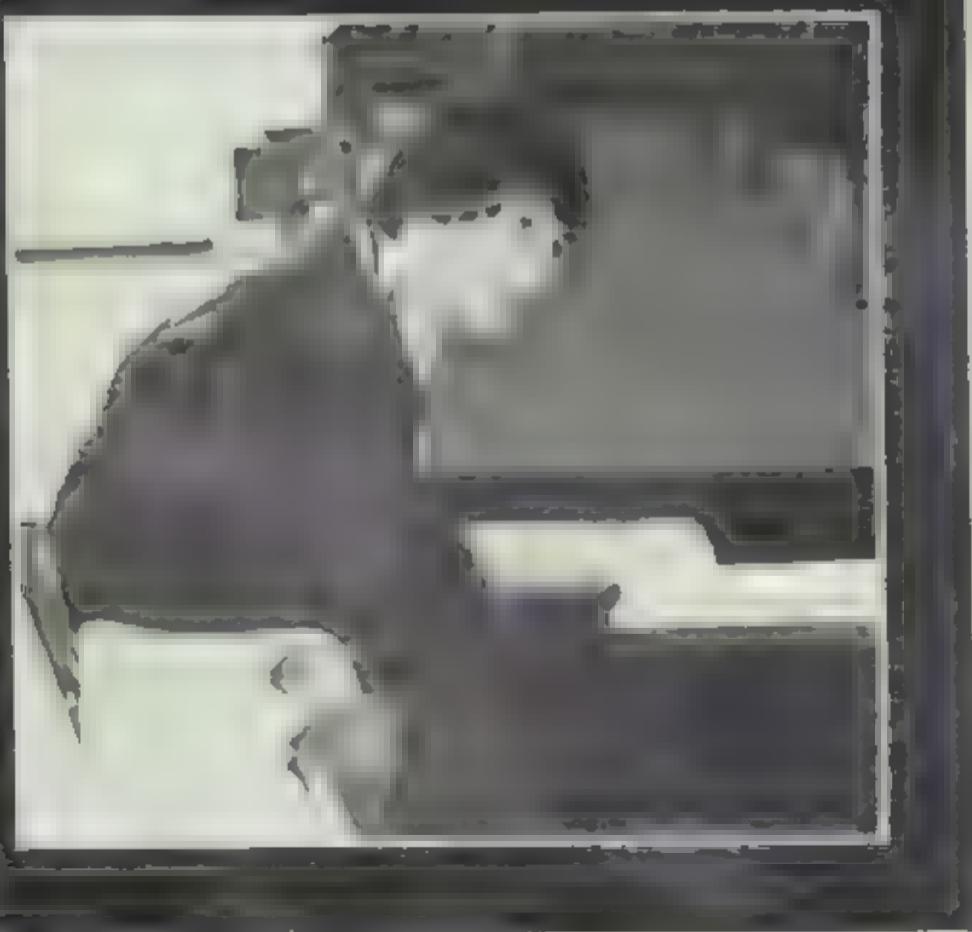
*Then said a teacher,
speak to us of
Teaching. And he
said: No man can
reveal to you aught
but that which
already lies half asleep
in the dawning of
your knowledge.*





The teacher who walks in the shadow of the temple, among his followers, gives not of his wisdom but rather of his faith and his lovingness.





*If he is indeed wise he
will not tell you
enter the house of his
wisdom, but rather
leads you to the
threshold of your own
mind. The astronomer
may speak to you of
his understanding of
space, but he cannot
give you his
understanding.*







The musician may sing to you of the rhythm which is in all space, but he cannot give you the ear which attests the rhythm nor the voice that echoes it.

*And he who is versed
in the science of
numbers can tell of
the regions of weight
and measure, but he
cannot conduct you
thither. For the vision
of one man lends not
its wings to another
man. And even as
each one of you
stands alone in God's
knowledge, so must
each one of you be
alone in his
knowledge of God
and in His
understanding of the
earth.*

Rahil Gibran



